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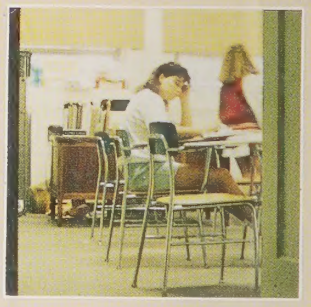

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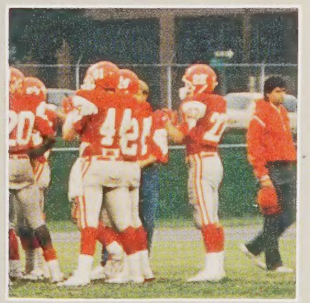

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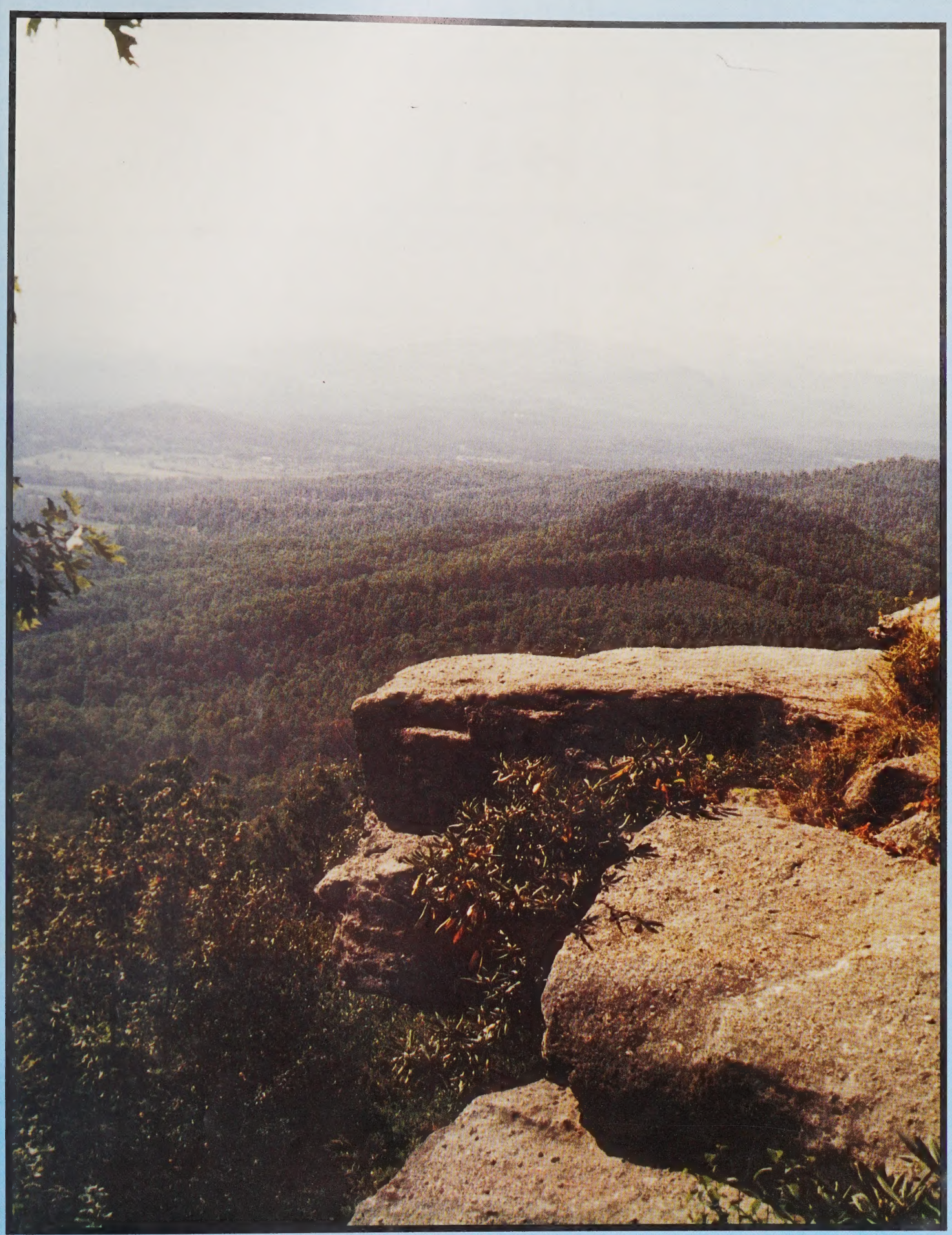

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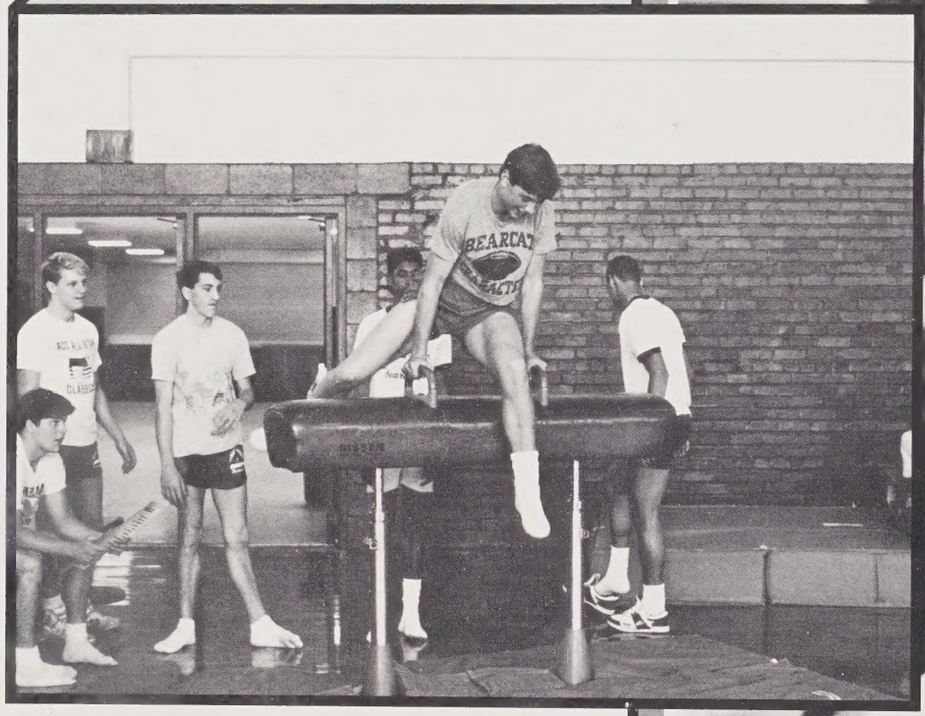
THE YEAR: 1989
THE TASK: To find the most superior institution of learning in this vast Global Terrarium some call earth.

This institution had to be a stronghold of athletics, academics, and arts. The search was long and grueling, but a school was found by the Inter-Galactic High Potency Educational Excellence Locater early one morning in a small community called Hendersonville.

This school had a long tradition of being superior to schools not only located in its area but also of those all across the state. To what school am I referring? (con't)

"It has been a custom of the students to strive for the best, and our excellent faculty allows students to achieve their maximum potential."

— Junior Ryan Kudva



The gymnastics class looks on with admiration as Lane Heffner shows how to straddle the pommel horse correctly.

The band is a stronghold of both enthusiasm and spirit. Todd King and Terry Paulson seem to be really excited about the game that they are watching.

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In photography class, Gill Brown asks Kim Henderson if he can take a shot at her.

"The atmosphere of HHS is definitely one of the factors which contributes to its excellence. You can be yourself and people are willing to accept you, even if you are different."

— Freshman Greg Garrison

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As school began, friends once again united. Lydia Dominy, Christy Maultsby, and Jennifer Cox are such friends.

"I strongly believe that the students are high spirited and hard working. There seems to be a unified effort at HHS to be the best school around, and it shows."
— Sophomore Jonathan Halper

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"Since the tradition of this school is so strong and of excellent merit, it affects the attitudes and actions of both the students and faculty."

— Senior Jennifer Dennis

HENDERSONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL.

HHS somehow combined an outstanding curriculum of arts, academics, and athletics.

How? No one knew. Some suggested that it was the attitude of the students. Some said that it was the teachers. Still others maintained that the atmosphere was quite a contributing factor. And others said that the traditions upheld by students and teachers, alike, made the school all that it was. Maybe it was all of these reasons, maybe none. Whatever the reason . . .

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Freshman orientation has become almost a ritual at HHS. Here, the new additions to the student body display the "Ten Don'ts of High School."

The sundial, usually bustling with enthusiasm and life, is a very barren sight as Mother Nature lends a much needed shower.

Social

Standards

Attending football games was almost a requirement to be a member of the "Bearcat Family." No one's high school experience was complete without the thrill of cheering the Bearcat team on to victory on a cool, autumn night

"I like the spirit and the participation shown by all the students at the games," said **Jessica VanderVeen.** "They're also a lot of fun!"

Many students showed their spirit not only by attending games but by being a cheerleader, band member, or student volunteer at the gates or in concession stands. "Working concession stands at halftime is very hectic but is also fun as long as you give the right amount of change back," said **Kelli Benton.**

After the excitement of the game, it was common practice for students to meet at one of the local restaurants to see friends, socialize, and eat a late dinner (pizza, perhaps?).

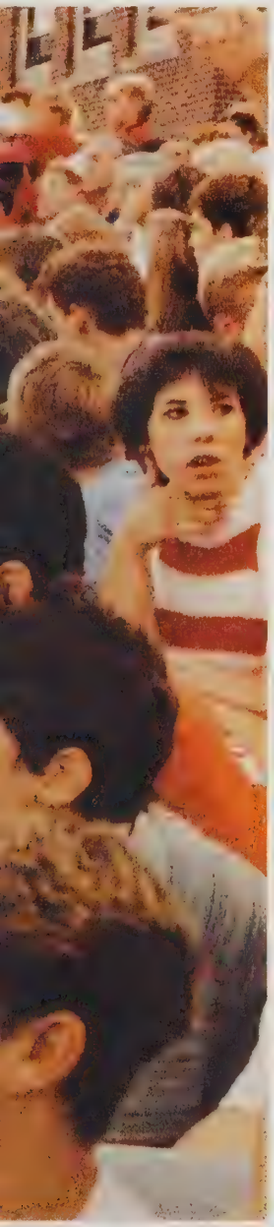
"Mr. Gatti's is sort of like a tradition after games," commented **Heather Loveland.**

Game nights were definitely a must on any student's calender. The games provided an excellent opportunity for the student body to join together and demonstrate their Bearcat pride!

As is always the case on the night of the first home game, the stands are full of expectant fans. They are ready to cheer the Bearcats on to another victory.

Just before the gates open to let the fans enter for an exciting game, the bleachers stand empty. A sunny day precedes victory.

Cheerleaders Felicia Orr, Melissa Huntley, and Leslie Poarch take a break during the game to share a laugh. Felicia appears to be the focus of the joke.



Ryan Johnson looks serious after a close game. Mr. Gatti's is the place to be after the football games.

The Dietz Field sign stands as a reminder of past accomplishments. Easily visible from the stands, it waits for new additions.

Dawn Stenson flashes a winning smile during the game. Her warm personality comes through in her cheerleading.

A Steamy September Night

It was 7:30 on a steamy September night. Students in the stands at Dietz Field were about to witness one of the most challenging, suspenseful, and bizarre athletic rituals at HHS. Time had arrived for the start of the 1988 Powderpuff Game.

The game ended in a glorious (32-14) victory for the sophomores and seniors. Hours of strenuous effort had been put forth by the females on both teams. **C.J. Chipley** commented, "It was a hard fought game for a men's and 'women's' sport."

Wike Graham, coach of the freshmen/junior team, had this to say about the outcome of the game, "The moment you feel satisfied as a player, you're through as a team."

"It takes a real man to cheer," said **David Reeves.**

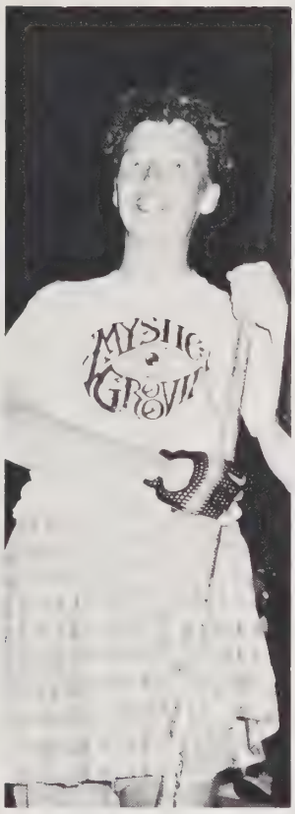
Of course, the evening would not have been complete without the crowning of the powderpuff queen. This year, the coveted honor went to **Mike "Martha" Freeman,** a senior and a stunning beauty indeed.

The thrill of victory, the agony of defeat, and the women of questionable authenticity on the sidelines made this year's powderpuff game a memorable one.

Senior "Martha" Freeman with escort "Doc" Owensby grins as her dream of being crowned Powderpuff Queen is realized.

Matt Berry, C.J. Chipley, and Greg Killian represent the epitome of "pep and spirit" as members of the powderpuff cheerleading squad.

The Senior/Sophomore team gets "fired up" before the action begins.



Senior Brian Crisp, a member of the elite powderpuff flag corps, watches the action from the stands.

Cool and collected, the Junior/Freshmen team prepares to take on the opposition.

Coming Home

Homecoming. The word evokes images of autumn leaves, football games, dances, and times spent with close friends. These images became reality in 1988 as students demonstrated their school spirit through Homecoming Court elections, spirit week, and a dance with the fitting theme, "Don't Worry, Be Happy."

Tiffani Beddingfield had this to say about Homecoming, "Just by walking through the halls you feel the excitement that is in the air. Once you feel the spirit, you want to be a part of everything going on during Homecoming."

Homecoming week, all the students had finally joined together to form the 1988 "Bearcat Family" and were ready to meet the challenges of a new school year.

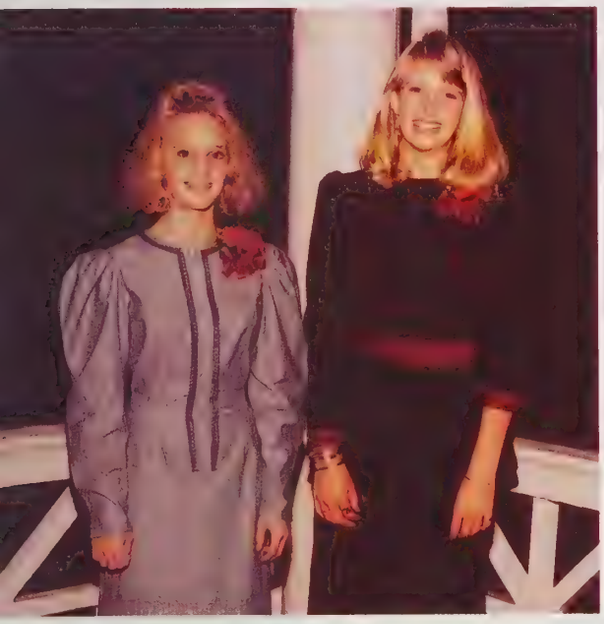
Susan Johnson stands with her escort, Jim Perry. Susan is a senior court representative.

Senior representative Nancy Barnett poses with her escort, Webb Garrison.

After representing her class for three years on the court, Jessica Laughter was voted 1988 Homecoming Queen.

The 1988 Homecoming Court and their escorts pause for a photo before going to the "big game."

Cheerleaders await the arrival of the football team as they hold up the Homecoming run-through.



Freshmen representatives are Heather Gullyes and Emery Boyd.

Karen Twitty and Kelli Benton represent the sophomore class.

Charlotte Hanssen and Monica Cleary were chosen as junior class representatives.

Comradery

Mr. Noah Webster strictly stated that a friend is "a person whom one knows, likes, and trusts." A broad generalization, this definition might seem inadequate. Everyone has his own interpretation of friendship. The four years of education known as high school are a major building block of forming those opinions.

This year it was not unusual to walk down a crowded hall and feel an overwhelming sense of comradery. During the year, classmates were not just tolerated and fellow students were not only acquaintances, but loyal, lifetime relationships were established.

When Hendersonville High School's reputation preceded itself, it was not just known for its outstanding tradition in academics, athletics, and spirit, but also in the attitude of respect and admiration among students.

The school year was filled with an attitude of acceptance. Acceptance of people not only as students but as individuals. This year that spirit of admission was fully expressed, making 1989 a year filled with personality, companionship, and surprise.

On a sunny school day the students gather for relaxation at the Blue Ridge Mall. Dana Terebelski and Peter Volk, wearing their black and white clothes, came straight from school. Bert VanderVeen, dressed cheerfully, feels out of place.

The students flock to the sundial for some friendly conversation before leaving for home. Susan Brittain gives Sam Samotis a sweet hug.

This year's latest fashion is the colorful tie-dyed shirts. On this warm, breezy day Lydia Dominy and Virginia Atkins stand together with Ryan Johnson as he expresses his sign of peace.

Jenny Klein and Heather Loveland look lovely in their white attire. They are certainly ready for an after-school shopping spree at the a-famed Blue Ridge Mall.

Kelli Benton, Hal Jackson and Stacey Carter sit on the bleachers during one of the first lunches of the year. They contemplate the upcoming year.

Check it Out

Hendersonville High School, nickname HHS, means, in its truest form, Honor, Happiness, Spirit. Honor through Happiness and Spirit made this the proudest and the greatest institution around.

Dana Terebelski said about the honor, "When I first came to HHS, I was surprised by the amount of school spirit and pride illustrated by the students. It was something I had never seen before, and I really enjoyed being a part of it."

Each of the students had his or her own talents. These students used those talents in the different aspects of the school. We had speakers, leaders, writers, musicians, artists, athletes, listeners, intellectuals, and so many more that it became impossible to list all of them.

Tiffany Beddingfield said, "No wonder many consider HHS the best high school in North Carolina. The students here use their talents to the best of their abilities making us #1 in everything we attempt. Whether a person's talent is music or athletics, each is an important part of the school in creating honor, happiness, and spirit."

Spirit at HHS, likened to a flame, began with that first "Hello" or assembly and stayed like a love never to be forgotten.

Mr. Orr, Rick Stepp, and Matt Berry after an exciting football game the previous night, show their spirit through the first senior project.

The bonfire is a traditional ceremony every year. This ceremony consists of the gathering of the students, the lighting of the fire, the cheering of the crowd.

Matt Davis, Greg Garrison, Brian Crisp, and Nancy Barnett, Boo Allison, and Jessica VanderVeen dress for sixties day during spirit week.

The watermelon blast is one of the ways we start off the year's activities. C.J. Chipley digs in!

Crowd Pleasers

"Hail to the Red and White. Hail to our alma mater."

These familiar words began each formal assembly. Inspired by student body president, **Greg "Goob" Phillip,** the audience greeted each production with eagerness and enthusiasm. Whatever the focus of the assembly, whether it was the chorus or a speech by a former Miss America, students expected to be kept interested and entertained.

"I thought that the Honor Society assembly was really neat. It was very well organized and fun to watch; something to look forward too," said **Lydia Kiefer.**

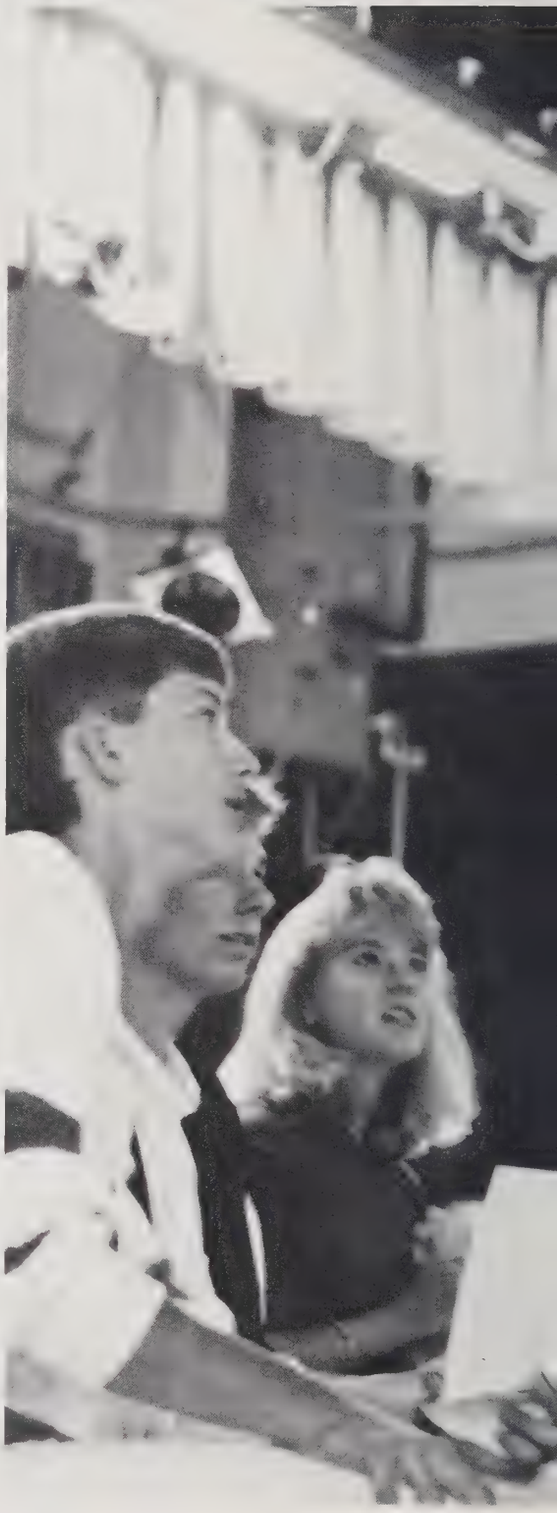
Some took a more practical view of assemblies.

"I like having lots of assemblies 'cause you get out of lots of classes," commented **Joe Hodge.**

"I think all the juniors should sit together," suggested **Ike Smith,** "Put the sophomores in the balcony. We have seniority."

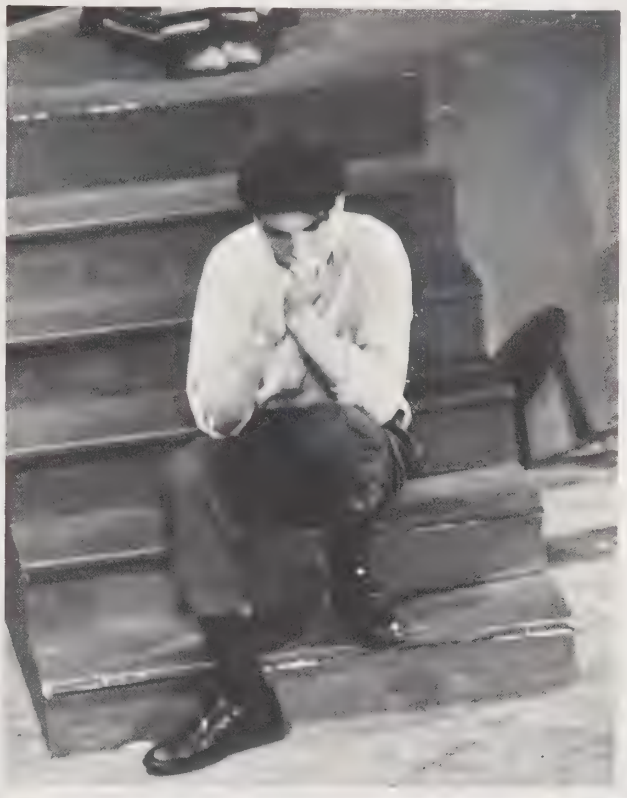
We thank the HHS student council for their excellent planning of the assemblies. They made us laugh; they made us cry, and they made every assembly a crowd pleaser.

Webb Garrison, Catea Rubenstein, and Bill Platz look solemn as they present the introduction to the Fine Arts assembly.



Senior class members Drew Adams, Bill Bates, Dade VanDerWerf, and Brad Parsons astound the audience with their dancing "feat" at the Christmas assembly.

Mr. Franklin imparts a small portion of his infinite wisdom to the junior class officer candidates Chuck Roberts, Bo Johnson, and Caryn Clark.



David Reeves displays his musical and dramatic talents in the thespian production Dandelion Wine.

Matt Davis's guitar music added color to the drama production performed at the Fine Arts assembly.

Strut your Stuff

As with anything else at Hendersonville High School, the fashions sported by students were varied and exciting. Each morning students faced the burning question of what they should wear. While the answer to this was not hard to come by for some, others struggled with its implications: fearing that their friendships, social standing, and chances at a promising future hung in the balance.

"I dress up for school 'cause there are guys here," explained **Melissa Kellen.**

"My favorite place to shop is the Limited," definitely, commented **Maryirene Douglas.**

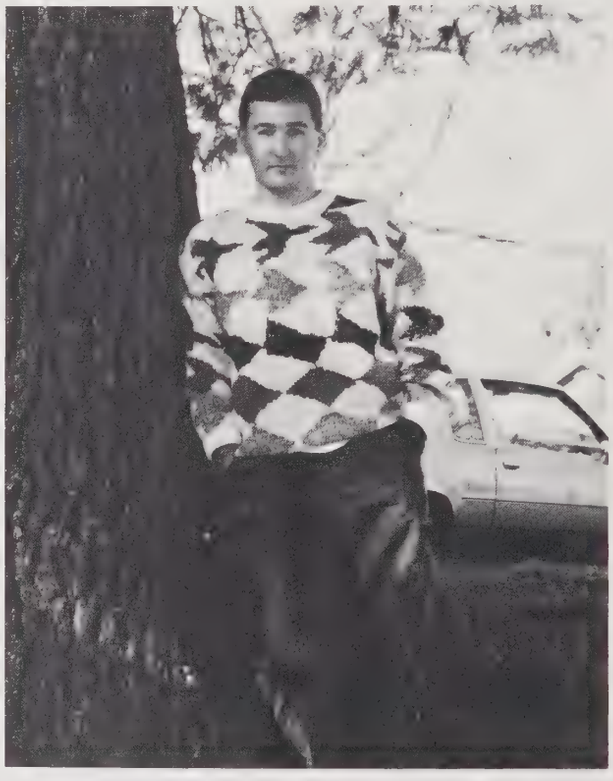
Others preferred more moderate shopping.

"I shop at Belk's," stated sophomore, **Jake Brezillac.**

As choices were made, and rejected clothes were stashed in closets, HHS students found numerous ways to express themselves through the world of fashion and fancy at Hendersonville High School.

Elizabeth Luntsford concentrates as she is confronted with a multitude of styles and prices at Belk's.

Banana Republic clothing is popular with almost everyone at HHS. Fashionable students are seen wearing this brand name frequently.



Eric Forsgren is stylin' and profilin' as he strikes a GQ pose outside on campus.

Loafers gained popularity through their comfort and style.

Shannon McNabb shows her cheerful personality through her choice of colorful, interesting clothes.

Affie Hackler and Ronnie Wagner stroll down the runway at the Keywanette fashion show.

Adam Chandler shows off the "comfortable look" for which he is famous. Adam is a strong believer that what matters about a person is on the inside.

The Beat Goes On

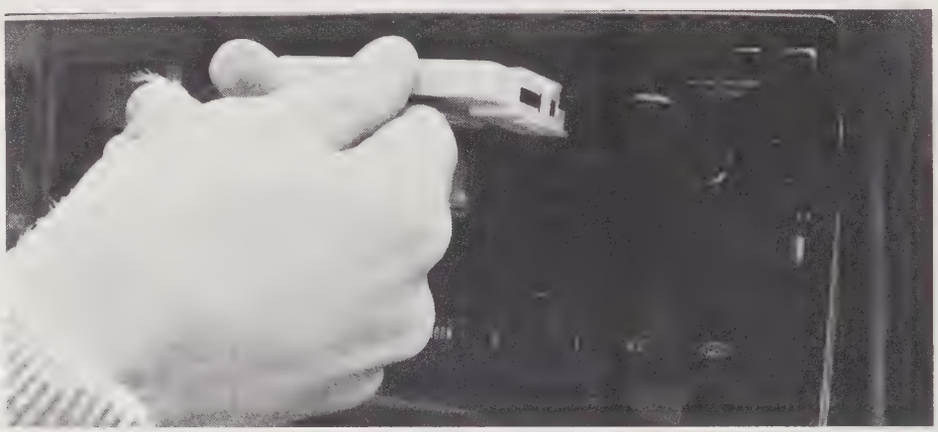
Music was an essential part of any student's life. For most, music started the day as the alarm clock sounded. Students listened to their favorite artists in school, at home, or in the car. Nowwhere else but at HHS could one fine such diversified musical tastes. Some found that Guns N' Roses suited their style while others expressed an unexplainable fascination with Nancy Sinatra.

"I like the Doors . . . Led Zeppelin is cool, too," said **Mike Williams.**

"Guitars are like skateboards," stated **Ty Chambers,** "some people use them while others pretend."

Whatever their opinions were, students at HHS made music a vital part of their everyday lives and a means of colorful self-expression.

Another one of our musical students enjoys listening to a tape in the car. After school, streets are filled with a variety of music.



Hard Rock Cafe T-shirts are often worn on campus. Each shirt shows a different taste in music.

Fran Shelton conducts the magnificent band at the pregame show.

Brian Crisp shows off his musical talent during one of the assemblies. Brian played tenor sax in the jazz band all year.

Andy Rohrbaugh listens to his headphones while trying to read up close. Andy is not attempting to correct his nearsightedness.

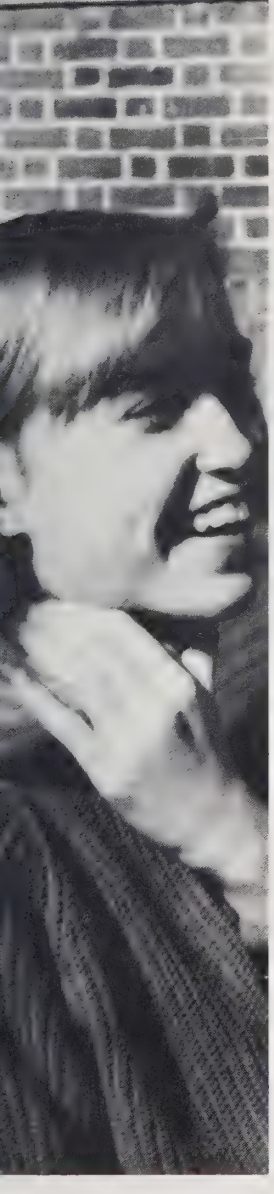
Another one of those T-shirts that applies to musical tastes, Guns N Roses is one of the more popular groups of 1989.

Allison Kissling plays the piano beautifully for chorus class.

The Grahams – Robyn, Wike, and Kyle – pause outside for a moment to rest on Wike's car.

Coach Pardue and his daughter, Kimberly, smile for the camera in the office. Kimberly has three more years of high school with her father.

Melissa Igoe seems to have her sisters, Jenna and Suzanne, firmly in tow.



ONE BIG FAMILY

Coach Carter is the picture of domestic contentment as he gives daughter, Stacey, a hug.

"Who is still talking on the phone?" "If my sister doesn't get out of the bathroom in two seconds, my hair will never be ready in time for school!" "I wanted to take the car on Saturday night!"

These were typical arguments between brothers and sisters. For some, these disputes did not end at home but carried through into the school day. As brothers and sisters reached high school age at the same time, they found themselves spending more time together during the school day. While this added time was a welcome change for some, it was a major adjustment for others.

"I think it's good cause she can help me with all the work she's done before," said **Kristin Dunn** of her sister, **Emily.**

As if sibling rivalry was not enough, some students were sentenced to spend their school day under the watchful eye of mom and dad. Several members of the faculty had children in high school.

"Everyone tells my mom the things I do," complained **Marcus Copolillo.**

"It's not that bad," said **Kimberly Pardue,** "It's a good way to get money fast."

These family members overlooked their differences and joined students and faculty alike to make the HHS student body one big, happy family.

The Dunn sisters, Kristin and Emily, are at odds again. We wonder if they get along this well at home.

AT YOUR LEISURE

The last bell has rung at HHS, and students are in control of their lives again. Now is the time to kick back, relax, munch on Doritos, and watch Oprah Winfrey. Though this schedule may not have been the exact routine for many students, each had his or her own favorite after-school activity.

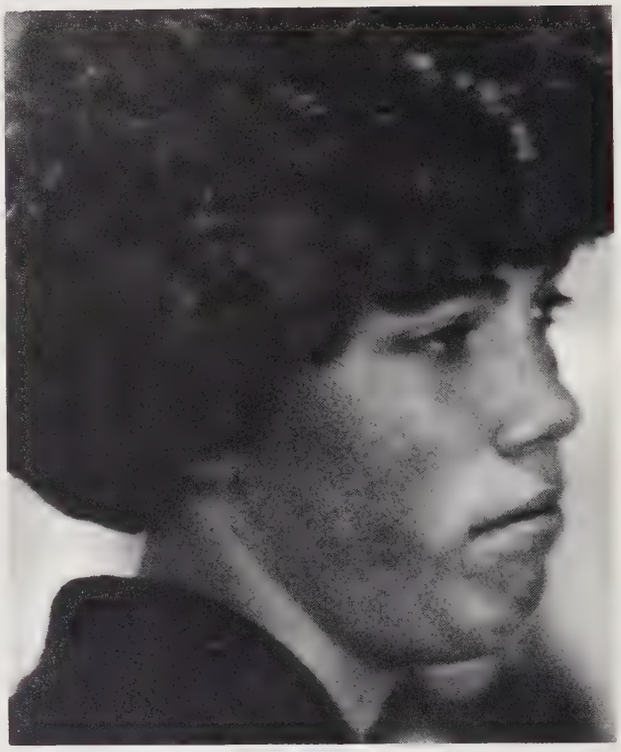
Noelle McKay commented, "I just like to go upstairs and lie down for a while."

"When I get home, I like to read romance novels. It helps me relax," said **Ramonda Milner.**

While some explored this realm of passive entertainment, others spent their time more actively.

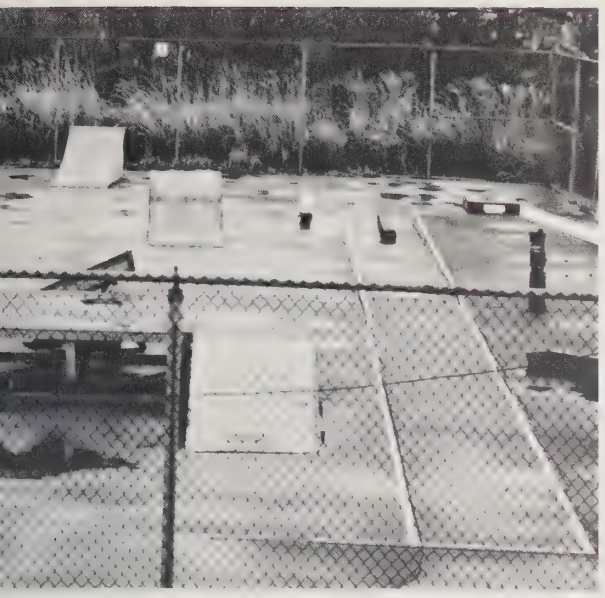
"Usually, I don't have much leisure time," complained **Kim Henderson.** "But when I do, I go out with my friends . . . or eat!"

Although each student's view was different, they all had definite ideas on the best way to spend their leisure time.



Tiffani Beddingfield stands in an empty hallway and contemplates her plans for the weekend.

Robyn Graham, Lacey Picard, and Virginia Atkins spend their free time relaxing at the Grahams' house.



The skating lot at the YMCA was a popular hangout for the skateboarders in the community. Today, most of them are indoors as the rain keeps them confined to their homes.

Bryan White and Heather Loveland spend their time together at a soccer game. They are wrapped up in a blanket to keep cozy and warm.

Spanish Club members take a break from their activities to pose for a picture. Todd Kuhar manages to be the center of attention.

THE CHAIN GANG

To add to their other accomplishments, some HHS students found time in their schedules to work.

Many of these dedicated youth found it necessary to forego their social life, sleep, and a healthy, balanced diet in order to find time for their jobs.

Why did they subject themselves to this life of labor?

"So I can have extra money instead of asking my parents for it," said **Shannel Billeter**, "Plus, I'm saving for a car."

"I work because I realized that, with all the activities that I'm involved in, I need lots of money; and I also need money for gas!" commented **Kyla Eggen**.

Familiar faces could be seen all around town doing a variety of jobs. **Alice Peschl**, a junior, worked as an assistant editor and graphic designer for Cortland Publishers.

Others defied all concepts of managing their daily schedules and worked at more than one job. **Sok Kheng Cheng** worked as a lifeguard at the YMCA and as a hostess at a local restaurant.

Whatever their reasons, HHS students worked hard toward their goal of becoming contributing members of society.

Sophomore Mike Williams volunteers time after school to help coach a youth basketball team.

Handymen – Danny Painter, Greg Philipp, Stephen Mace, and Kim Thomsen – appear to be getting more paint on themselves than on the walls as they do service hours.

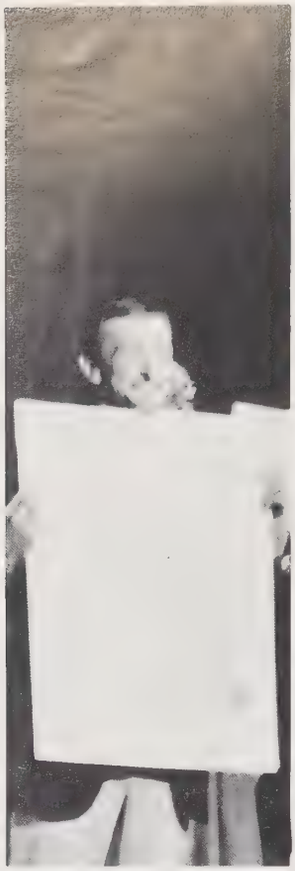
Leigh Gullyes leaves school early to go out into the work place. She works at Vanda's Hallmark Shop.

Heather Loveland, a volunteer at the YMCA, "pumps iron" as she demonstrates how to use the fitness equipment.

Beth Ridings, a dance instructor at Pat's School of Dance, finds time at school to help Noelle McKay learn a new step.

Kim Henderson, Deanna Gibbs, and Affie Hackler take a break from their jobs to share a "sweet" hug with their boss.

The teachers are serious all through the year except when St. Nick is soon to be here. A joyous time comes to the students as Mr. Wilson smiles twelve times during the faculty's version of "The Twelve Days of Christmas."



Over the holidays, language club members carol throughout the halls.

Mr. LaCrange bravely faces a holiday vacation of growth as he prepares to lose his mustache at the Christmas assembly.

The chorus sings of a train to entertain the student body at the Christmas assembly.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

'Twas the day of midterms, and all through the school not a student was speaking.

They were playing it cool.

Exams were passed out and completed with care in hopes that Christmas break soon would be there.

Watching the kids in classrooms, you could tell they were waiting impatiently for the sound of the bell.

When it finally rang, there arose such a clatter, **Coach Pardue** sprang from his desk to see what was the matter.

Away to the hallway he flew like a flash, collided with crowds, and fell with a crash. As students looked toward the door, they saw a figure so calm, they knew in a moment it had to be **Tom.**

He, standing there serene, said, "Go on, have a ball; but when you get back, no PDA in the halls!"

More rapid than eagles his coursers they came, and he whistled and shouted and called them by name: "On coaches, on counselors, on janitors and teachers! On freshmen, on sophomores, on juniors and seniors!"

Then he opened the door and gave a shrill whistle and away they all flew like the down of a thistle.

But they heard him exclaim as they drove down the streets, "Merry Christmas to all, and have a great two weeks!"

Christmas is coming and the school is filled with decorations. The Christmas tree is put in the hall for all to see and cherish.

Fine Arts Night, held in December, is the one night of the year that all the students involved in the arts can show off for their families.

Beijing

Classes

SENIORS

"This year has instilled in all of us a sense of unity as we prepare to embark upon the future. We will never pass this way again nor will we ever be this free."

—Sylvia Baker

"I'm pleased with this year. I feel we're all a little more mature, and there seems to be a greater sense of respect and understanding among us."

—Dade VanDerWerf

"My senior year has taught me to accept responsibility and self-discipline through the midst of total chaos."

—Susan Brittain

Senior Class Officers: Bill Hodge, president; Tim Gore, vice-president; Tina Edgerton, secretary; Rick Stepp, treasurer

Andrew James Adams

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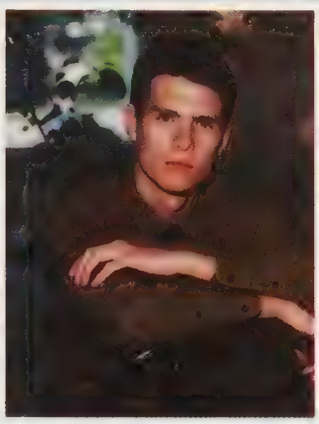

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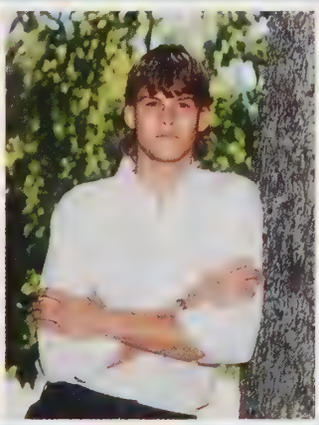

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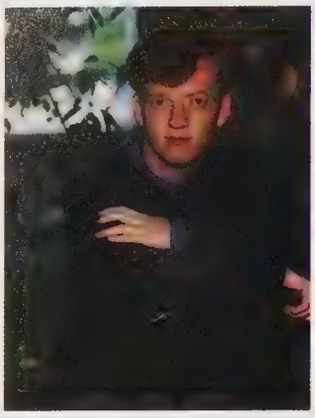

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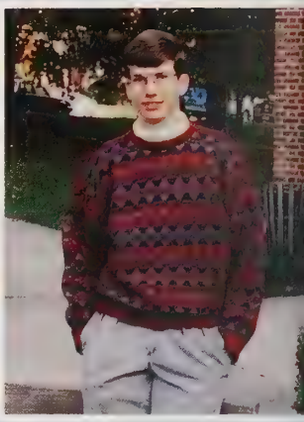

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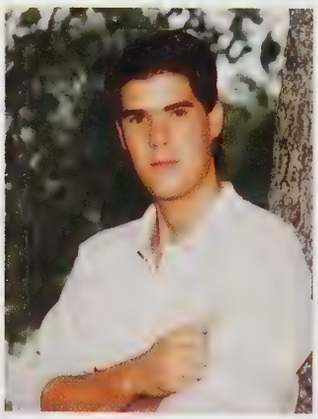

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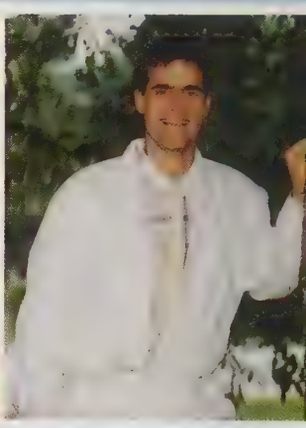

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Leigh Rachel Gullyes

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Thomas Albert Guthke III

Africa Marie Hackler

David Georges André Haffner

Todd Kenneth Hargrave

Eric Michael Havard

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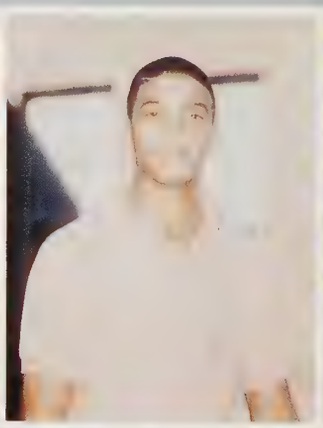

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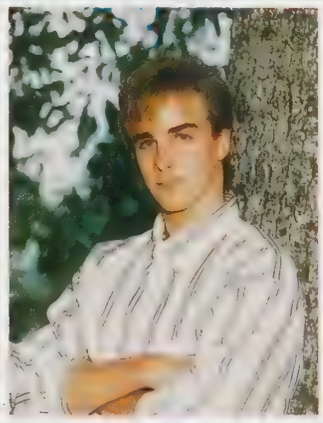

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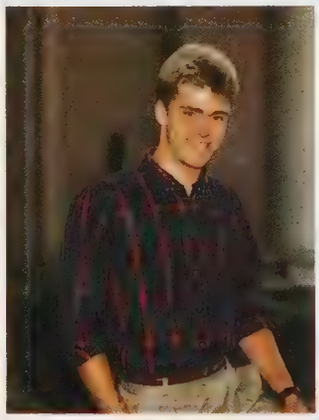

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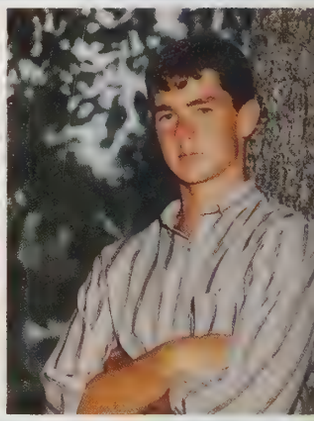

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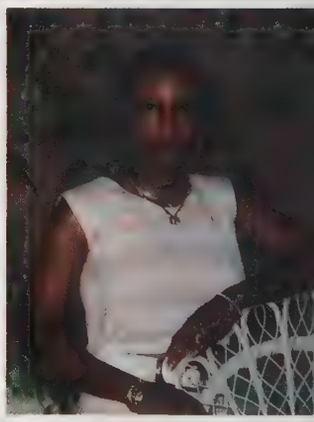

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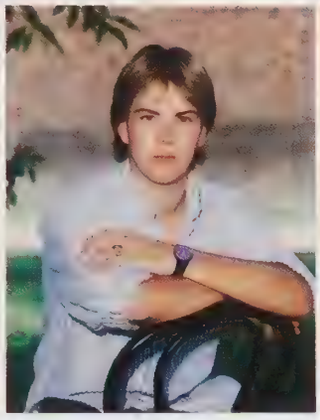

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Michelle Leigh Hendricks

Tara Denise Robinson

Robert Allan Rogers

Grant Matthew Stocker

Sonja Denise Thompson

Michael Keith Triggs

Amelia Lonore York

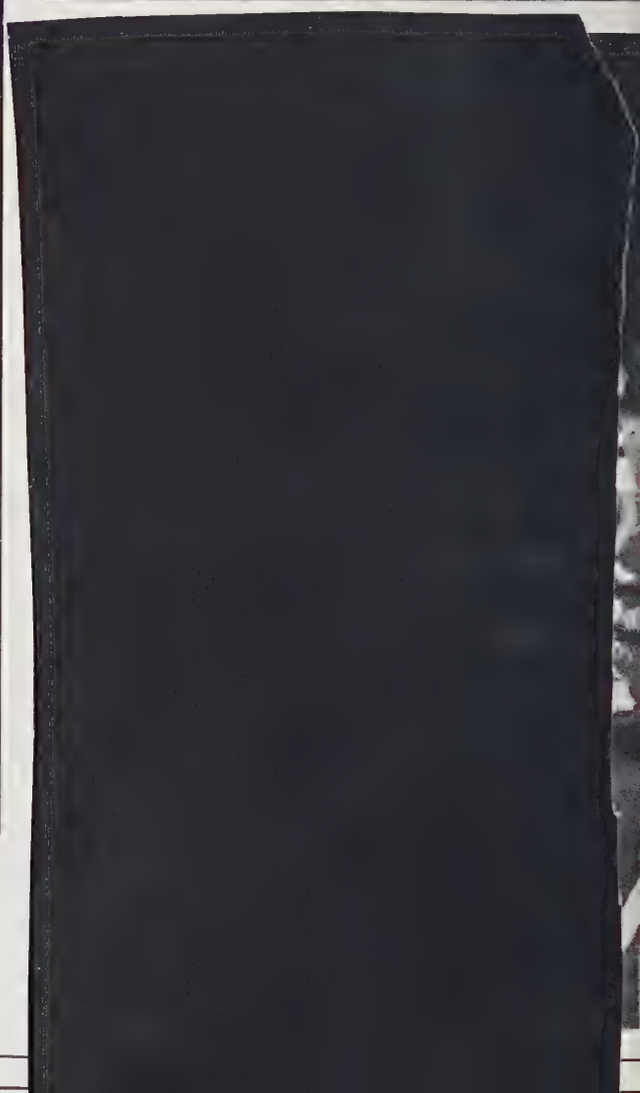
Mighty Fine in '89

As the curtains drew back to reveal the 1988-'89 school year, the seniors came through with an enthusiastic performance. Leading the rest of the school in spirit in many activities, the seniors upheld the tradition of dominance.

Center stage, the seniors positioned themselves for a year of excitement. **Dan Krug** commented, "This year's senior class has shown spirit in more ways than any previous class." By acting on impulse and originality, the Class of 1989 was a class not soon to be forgotten.

Be it pep rallies, assemblies, athletics, academics, or just the school year in general, the underclassmen were upstaged by the unrivaled superiority of the seniors.

A look of determination covers Sylvia Baker's face as she attempts to use mind-over-matter powers to aid the Bearcat football team.



Super Cat, Rick Stepp, shows off his fashionable attire. Where did he get those boxer shorts?

Ever-seeking new heights, Deanna Gibbs perches on lockers to complete her banner — hanging duty, while Affie Hackler is content to be in charge of tape.

Many seniors enjoy ending their day with PE. Jay Egolf contemplates the idea of actually participating in his class volleyball game.

With trash bags and rakes in hand, members of the senior class display their dedication at a class-service project.

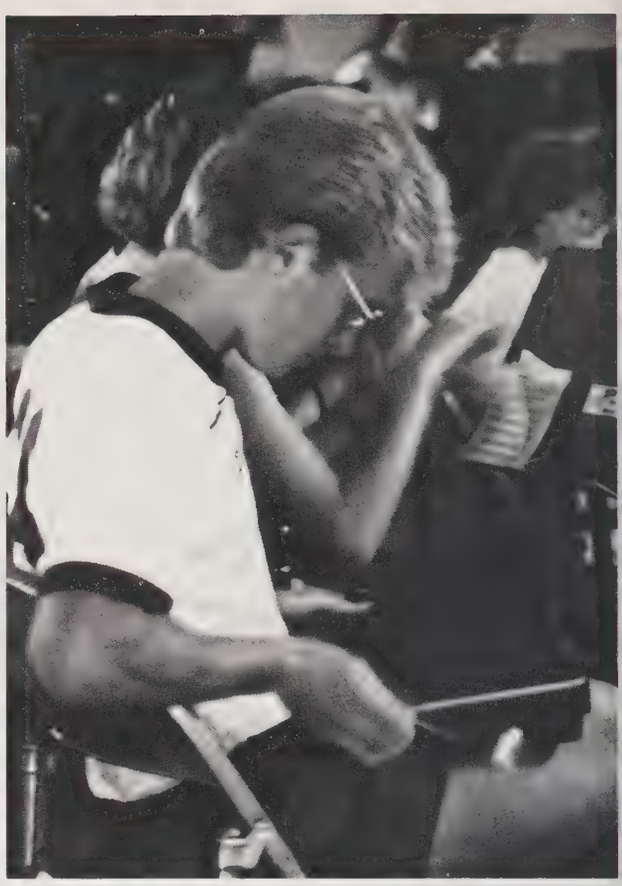
Pulling It All Together

Congratulations seniors! The class finally made it to its final year in high school. All privileges they had been looking forward to were theirs: off-campus lunch, freshmen initiation, the senior play, and all other advantages it had not had as underclassmen.

The Class of 1989 pushed through four great years and ended up on top. With pride in the school and spirit in the class, the students reigned over the rest. It pulled the teams to victory and strived to do the best in everything it did.

Aside from all the work, playtime was found. As tradition had it, seniors found Mondays to be the worst. When asked what he thought about his senior year, **Brad Parsons** insisted, "What are you asking me this for in the morning?" As a more serious approach, **Ron Wagner** commented, "It will be my last chance to acquire the responsibilities and discipline needed to excel in the difficult and highly competitive college atmosphere of partying and womanizing."

On top of fond memories and eventful weekends, the Class of 1989 became prepared to accept challenges in the outside world. The students excelled in academics, athletics, the arts, and in countless other activities.



Quickly shutting his empty music case, Eric Havard frantically tries to remember exactly where he last had his clarinet before Mrs. Shelton discovers his blunder.

Kim Henders[illegible] shows her amusement with an underclassman's absurd plea for off-campus lu[illegible]

Not everyone can dance with grace and precision; but Bill Bates, Webb Garrison, and Greg Philipp ap[illegible] to be coming close as they rehearse for the senior play.

The Junior-Senior Prom is a time all high school students look forward too. Julie Andrus shares a quiet moment with her date.

Food seems to be the last concern of Elliott Lewis, Robert Mazzeo, Wayne Copolillo, and Michael Triggs. The four are content to use lunch as a quiet break from classes.

Any college-bound high school student knows the importance of the SAT. Emily Dunn patiently fills in the countless circles on the registration form.

Pausing only to look at the camera, DeShannon Bynum searches her locker for last night's homework.

New Horizons

Little John stepped into the Guidance Office and looked around with anticipation and apprehension. Little did he know what lay before him. Suddenly, in a brilliant flash of light, his past, present, and future melted together before him! Little John had entered the senior Zone!

Suddenly he realized the enormity of the choices he had to make. New careers, colleges, jobs, applications, essays — all had to be thought about carefully. The senior year was a major factor in deciding one's future. Little John began to feel faint. His head started spinning. He sat down hard!

Coach Johnson walked up, offered Little John a chair, and said, "Don't worry! Don't worry! UNC is the place for you. What's your SAT?" Little John moaned and passed out.

When he came too, he felt refreshed, like a new wave of confidence had cleaned him. He began to make sense out of the chaos. Little John no longer felt little, but huge. Little John, now big, filled out application after application with the precision of a surgeon. He started walking down the path called the future — into his NEW HORIZONS.

Study, study, study! Even seniors find themselves spending hours nestled among books. Carolyn Owens quickly refreshes her memory of class materials.

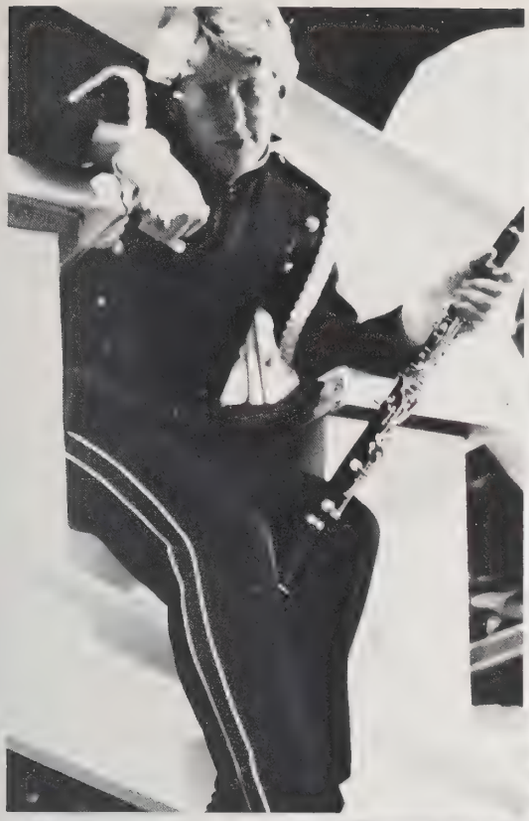
With graduation comes the beginning of adulthood. Catea Rubenstein ponders this thought as she tries on her long-awaited cap and gown.

Caught up in an imaginative world with no limits, Sophia Allison eagerly delves into her art work.

Looking skyward, Ginger Gordon breaks all boundaries as she delivers her trumpet solo.

All in a Day's Fun

CLASS of 1989



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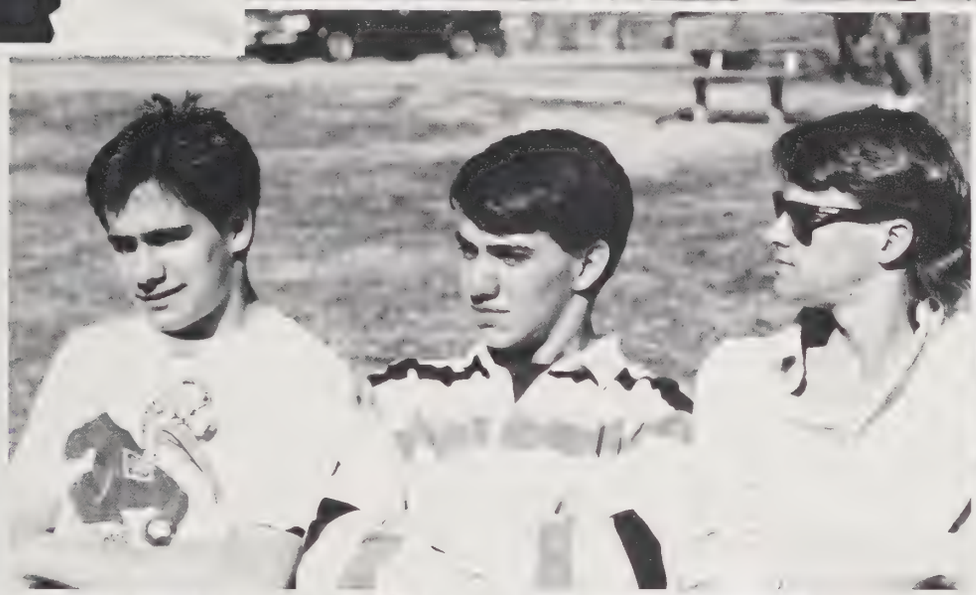


SENIOR STATISTICS

ANDREW JAMES ADAMS: Academic Olympics 2, 3, 4; Hall of Fame — American History 2, Chemistry 3, Drama 3, Calculus 4, Arts 4, Physics 4; Scholar of the Month — Computer Science 1; Governor's School — Social Science 3; J. V. Basketball 2; J. V. Soccer 2; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Varsity Basketball Captain and letter 4; Key Club 2, 3, Secretary 3; French Club 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Spanish Club 4, Vice-President 4; Homeroom President 3, 4; Class Treasurer 1, 2; LAUREATE Underclassman Editor 4; Student Council Representative 1, 2, 3, Elections Committee 3; Thespian Troupe 3, 4, President 4; NC State Thespian Officer 4; MANNEQUIN'S DEMISE 1st. place regional; MOOD SWING 1st runner-up state 3; THIS SIDE OF BYZANTIUM 4; DAR Citizenship Award 3; International Thespians Conference 3; NC Writing Contest Regional; Who's Who at HHS 4; UNCA Science Contest 4; Morehead Nominee 4; Honor Block.

SOPHIA JANE ALLISON: Academic Olympics 2; Hall of Fame 3; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; WNC District Band 3, 4; WNC Band Contest 3, 4; Enka Marching Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Swain Contest 4; Cary Festival 4; Literary Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Block letter H; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Junior Marshal 3; Spanish II Award 3; Art II Award 3; A-B Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4.

JULIE MAE ANDRUS: Swimming 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 1; Gymnastics 1; Keywanettes 4; French Club 3; FHA Treasurer 1; Student Council Representative 1, 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4 — Secretary 3; Block letter H 2; Special Olympics 1, 2, 3, 4; State Special Olympics Coach 3, 4.

SYLVIA ELAINE BAKER: Cheerleading 4; Keywanettes 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; French Club 1, 2; Young Life 1, 2; Campaigners 1, 2; RED & WHITE 3, 4 — Circulation Manager 4; SOCKO 3, 4; Student Council Representative 3, 4; Election Board 3; International Thespains 1, 2, 3, 4; Powderpuff Escort 4; Block letter H; Special Olympics 1, 2; Key Club 2; Olympics of the Mind 2; Forensics — Original Oratory (2nd) 2; WNC Model U.N. 2 awards of excellence 1, 2; WNC District National History Day Award of Excellence 1; Beyond War 3, 4; Henderson County Chapter of Teen Democrats 3 — Secretary 4, Literary Club 3, 4; Sophomore Server 2; America's Pride — Drug Awareness Program representative 2; ESP — 2nd regional, 4th state, 2.

FENNO HILBERTUS BARBER-VANDERVEEN, JR.: Soccer 1; Swimming 2, 4; Photography Club — Vice-President 1, President 2; Literary Club 2, 3, 4; Thespians 2, 3, 4 — Historian 4; Key Club 3, 4; French Club 4; FCA 4; RED & WHITE Photographer 2, Staff Writer 3; Assistant Editor 4; SOCKO 2, 3 — Co-editor 3; Student Council Member-at-large 4; Who's Who Among American High school Students; Block letter H; Women's Club Writing Contest (1st) 2.

NANCY MELINDA BARNETT: Basketball 9; Most Improved Award for Basketball; Spanish Club 3; Photography Club 2; Literary Club 3, 4; Scholastic Art Show 3; Special Olympics Aid 3.

MATTHEW ALDEN BERRY: Tennis 2, 3, 4; Key Club 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4 — Treasurer 4; French Club 3 — Treasurer 3; Spanish Club 4 — Treasurer 4; LAUREATE 4; Student Council Member-at-large 3; NC Scholar; Honor Block.

SUSASN PATRICIA BRITTAIN: Governor's School (Drama) 2; Cheerleading 4; Athletic Trainer 2, 3 — Assistant Head Trainer 3; Keywanettes 3, 4 — Historian 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Literary Club 2, 3 — Secretary 3; French Club 2; Homeroom President 4; Class Vice-President 1; RED & WHITE 3, 4 — Features Editor 4; SOCKO 3; Student Council Alternate 3; Thespians 2, 3, 4 — Vice-President 4; NCTC One-Act Play Competition (1st runner up state) 3; Chorus 3; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who at HHS 4; Block letter H 3; NC Teen Apple Queen 2; Jr. Miss Dance of the Carolinas 2; Graduation Marshal 3; Cat Family 2; Honor Block.

DESHANNON OMEGA BYNUM: Track 1, 2; Cheerleading 4; FBLA 3; Spanish Club 3; Homeroom Secretary 1, 2; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4.

CHRISTA LEE CAIRNES: Softball JV 1, Varsity — 2, 3, 4; Ski Club 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; Powderpuff 1, 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 2; Block letter H; Athletic Trainer 1, 2, 3, 4.

ANGELA LYNN CORBIN: Football stats 4; Basketball 1; Softball 1, 2; Cheerleading 3; French Club 2, 3; Literary Club 2, 3; Pep Board 2, 3; Thespians 3, 4; Elections Committee 4; One-Act Plays 3, 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 3, 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3; Block letter H 3; FBLA 3; Social Committee 2.

BRIAN DEAN CRISP: Academic Olympics 3; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; NC All-State Band; Jazz Band 3, 4; Band Vice-President 4; Literary Club 2, 3, 4 — President 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3 — Historian 2; Honor Society 3, 4 — Teacher of the Month 3; Homeroom Vice-President 3; Class Treasurer 3; RED & WHITE 3; SOCKO 2, 3, 4 — Editor 3, 4; TIMES-NEWS Espirit Staff 3; Student Council Representative 1, 2, 3; Social Committee Representative 1, 2, 3; Social Committee 1, 3; Scrapbook Committee 2; Thespians 3, 4; Best Ensemble Theatre Arts Award for "This Side of Byzantium"; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 3, 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Chorus 4; Mars Hill Honors Chorus 4; Hal Corrick Scholar 3; Duke Young Writers 3; Blue Ridge Community College Day for Young Writers 3; A-B Honor Roll.

SCOTTIE LEE CROSBY: Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2.

MARIANNE THERESE de la CRUZ: Tennis 3, 4; Block letter H; French Club; FBLA; Spanish Club; Prom Committee, Homeroom Representative.

RICHARD ALAN DAVIS: Track Manager 1; Key Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3, 4; Literary Club 3, 4; RED & WHITE Representative 3; RED & WHITE 3, 4 — News Editor 4; Student Council Representative 1, 2 — Alternate 3, 4; Citizen of the Month Committee 4; Chorus 3; Blockletter H.

JENNIFER LYNN DENNIS: Academic Olympics 2, 3; Math Contest 2, 4; Hall of Fame — Chemistry 3, Algebra II 3; Math Award 3; Junior Marshal 3; National Honor Society 3, 4 — Vice-President 4; Who's Who at HHS 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4 — Consul 3, 4; Typing Award 1; Literary Club 4; NC Scholar 4; Summer Ventures in Science and Mathematics 2; Science Olympiad 2; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Presidential Physical Fitness Award 1; WNC Science Fair 1; Quiz Bowl 4; Honor Block.

EMILY ELISABETH DUNN: Soccer Manager & Stats 2, 3, 4; French Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FCA 1, 2; Literary Club 2, 3; Keywanettes 2, 3, 4; FBLA 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H; Thespians 2, 3.

TINA YVETTE EDGERTON: Academic Olympics 3; Hall of Fame 1, 2; Track 1; Cheerleading 1, 2; Keywanettes 4; Homeroom Vice-President 3 — Secretary 4 — LAUREATE Representative 1, 2; Class Secretary 3, 4; Student Council Member-at-large 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mars Hill Honors Chorus; Honor Society 3, 4.

JOHN JASON EGOLF: Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4 — Captain 4; Swimming 1, 2, Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 3; Ski Team 4; All-Conference Soccer 3; All-Conference Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3; Key Club 2, 3 — Vice-President 3; French Club 3; Ski Club 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 2; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H; Honor Block.

STACEY HELENA ETHERIDGE: Track 1, 2, 3; State Track Relay (4th).

ASHLEY JUNE FEATHERSTONE: French Club 2; Ski Club 1, 2; Homeroom Vice-President 3 — Secretary 2 — Treasurer 2; Chorus 3, 4; NC Scholar 4.

CASEY FRANCIS FLANAGAN: Swimming 2, 3, 4; Diving 3, 4; FCA 4; Powderpuff 4.

LAURA BAINE FREEMAN: Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1.

MICHAEL LEE FREEMAN: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Athletic Awards: Football Offensive Player of the Year, Most Valuable Player, All-Conference, All-County, Asheville Citizen Area Team, Basketball Most-

Dedicated; FCA President, Vice-President; Spirit Club President; Homeroom President.

TERESA ANN FREEMAN: Track Manager 1; Beta Club 1; Science Club President 1; FHA 2, 3, 4 — Secretary 4; Spanish Club 3, 4 — Secretary 4; FBLA Treasurer 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Keywanettes 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High school Students 3; Special Olympics 2; Junior Marshal 3.

JEFFREY ALAN GALLAGHER: Academic Olympics 3; Cross-Country 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Indoor Track 3, 4; All-Conference Track 2, 3, 4; State Participation Track 2, 3 4; FBLA Treasurer 3; FCA 3, 4; Chorus 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Excellence in Accounting 3; Kiwanis Physical Education Award 1.

WEBB BLACK GARRISON III: Academic Olympics 2, 3, 4; Hall of Fame 3, 4; Scholar of the Month (Latin & French) 2; Track 1; Wrestling 1; Student Council Vice-President 3; Latin Club 2, 3, 4 — **Pontifex Maximus** 3, 4; Thespians 4 — Vice-President 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4 — President 4; Honor Society 3, 4 — President 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Literary Club 2, 3, 4; Quiz Bowl 2, 3, 4; WNC Math Contest 2; Morehead Semifinalist 4; Who's Who at HHS 4; One Act Plays Theatre Arts Award "This Side of Byzantium" 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1, 3, 4; Block letter H 3; National Merit Scholarship Qualifier 3; Chief Junior Marshal 3; A Honor Roll 1, 2, 3; Physics Award 3; Honor Block.

DEANNA DAWN GIBBS: Academic Olympics Home Economics (5th) 2; Track Manager 3, 4; FHA 1, 2 — County Historian 1, Treasurer 2; Ski Club 1; Keywanettes 3, 4; Keywanette of the Year 3; Keywanette Member-at-large 4.

GINGER ANN GORDON: Softball 1; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Festivals 1, 2, 3, 4; Band State Conntest 3, 4; Spanish Club 2 — Vice-President 2; Career Club 2 — Vice-President 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Homeroom Vice-President 3; Student Council Representative 2; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Block letter H.

TIMOTHY DANIEL GORE: Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Conference Wrestling; Wrestling 1, 2; Honorable Mention All-WNC Football; FCA Secretary 2; Literary Club 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Homeroom President 1, 2, 3; Class President 1, 2; Class Vice-President 4; RED & WHITE 2, 3, 4 — Sports Editor; SOCKO 2; Student Council Member-at-large 2; Student Council Vice-President 3; Drama II 3, 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1; Who's Who Among American High School Students; Block letter H; Special Olympics 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARIO KENNETH GRAHAM: Football 1, 2; Track 2, 4; Wrestling 1; DECA President 4; LAUREATE Representative 4; Block letter H.

LEIGH RACHEL GULLYES: Swimming 1, 2, 3, 4 — MVP 2, Captain 3, Regionals 1, 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Young Life 2; Outing Club 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Homeroom Treasurer 3; LAUREATE Representative 3, 4; Yearbook 2; LAUREATE 3, 4 — Business Manager 4; NC Scholar 3, 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 2, 3; Byron Davis Award 2; Century 21 Accounting Certificate 3.

AFRICA MARIE HACKLER: Track 1; Cheerleading 1, 2; Keywanettes 2, 3, 4; Homeroom Secretary 3 — Treasurer 1, 2 — LARUEATE Representative 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Block letter H.

TODD KENNETH HARGRAVE: Hall of Fame (Gymnastics) 3; Football Manager 2; Chess Club 2; Homeroom Vice-President 2.

KIMBERLY ANNE HENDERSON: Track 1; State Track (5th Overall) 1; FHA 1, 4 — Secretary 1, Vice-President 4; Homeroom President 4 — Treasurer 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Representative 4; Powderpuff Escort 4; Block letter H; Keywanettes 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Special Olympics Volunteer 3, 4; Honor Roll 1, 2; Presidential Physical Fitness Award 1; Presidential Academic Award 1.

COURTNEY STEPHON HILL: Basketball 2, 3; Cross-Country 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Conference Cross Country 4; Block letter H.

WILLIAM TIMOTHY HODGE: Football JV 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Track JV 1; Wrestling JV 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Football All-Conference 3, 4; Most-Valuable Offensive Lineman 3; All-Area Football Team 4; Wrestling All-Conference 1, 2, 3; Captain of Football & Wrestling 4; Spanish Club 3; Key Club 2; Homeroom President 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 3, 4; Student Council Representative 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4 — Vice-President 3, President 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff Coach 1, 2; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Who's Who at HHS 4; Block letter H; Senior Representative Cat Family 4.

MELISSA MARY IGOE: Basketball 1; Track 3; Honor Society 3, 4 — Secretary 4; French Club 3, 4 — Secretary 4; FBLA 3; Environmental Club Photographer 3; Literary Club 4; Chorus 1; Keywanettes 4.

EDWARD LEON IVEY: Wrestling 1, 2, 3; Kiwanis Recognition for Wrestling, All-Conference Wrestling 1, 2, 3.

MARY SUSAN JOHNSON: Volleyball 1; Spanish Club 1, 2 — Treasurer 2; FBLA President 4; Ski Club 1; Homeroom Secretary 3; Student Council Member-at-large 4; Drama 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4 — Treasurer 4; Powderpuff 1, 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Special Olympics 2.

GEORGE NEILL KILLIAN, JR.: Soccer 2, 3, 4 — Captain 2; Most Valuable Player 3; All-Conference Soccer Player; Key Club; FBLA; Spanish Club 2; Junior Civitans; Powderpuff Cheerleader 4.

JEFF GANNON KIRK: Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 4; Chorus 3, 4; Block letter H 1, 3; Honor Block.

DANIEL WADE KRUG: Hall of Fame 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Wrestling 1; All-Conference Wrestling 1; All-Conference Soccer 3, 4; All-Conference Tennis 3, 4 (Singles & Doubles); All-State Doubles 4; All-WNC Doubles 4; French Club 2, 3 — Vice-President 2; Spanish Club 4; Key Club ; Honor Society 3, 4; LAUREATE 3, 4 — Sports Editor 3, 4.

KATHLEEN JEAN LANNING: Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 2, 3, 4; Enka Marching Band Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; FCA 2, 3 — Treasurer 3; Honor Society 3, 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H; Advanced Biology Award.

JESSICA ANNE LAUGHTER: Cheerleading 4; FBLA 3; Spanish Club 2; Keywanettes 3, 4; Homeroom President 4; Student Coun-

cil Treasurer 4; Student/FACULTY Committee 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H 4; Homecoming Court 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4.

CHARLES EDWARD LINDSEY: Basketball 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Indoor Track 4; All-Conference Long Jump & Triple Jump.

ELIZABETH ANN LUNTSFORD: Marching Band 1, 2; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3; Jazz Band 3; Enka Marching Band Festival 1, 2; WNC Band Contest 3; French Club 2, 3, 4 — Scrapbook Committee Head 2, Treasurer 4; Literary Club 3, 4; FBLA 4; Social Department 3, 4; Keywanettes 4; RED & WHITE 4; Citizen-of-the Month Committee 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students.

SUMMER YVONNE MACKEL: Football Stats 4; Soccer Stats 3; Swimming 1, 2, 3, 4 — Captain 4; Swimming Regionals 3, 4; Electiosn Committee Head 4; FCA 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Social Committee 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2, 4; One-Act Plays 4; Thespians 3, 4; International Thespian Conference 2; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Powderpuff 1, 3, 4; Chorus 4; Special Olympics 2, 3, 4.

ROBERT JAMES MAZZEO, JR. Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 — Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Most-Improved in Basketball 3; Perfect Attendance 1, 2, 3, 4; Special Olympics 3, 4.

CHARLYNE DEANE McCALL: Basketball 1; Softball 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 3, 4; Marching Band 2; Keywanettes 4 — President (West Henderson) 4; Powderpuff 3 (West Henderson); Block letter H.

TARA PATRICE McMINN: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2; Kiwanis Award for Volleyball; All-Conference Basketball 2, 3; All-Conference Volleyball 1; Honors for Excellence in NCHSAA State Championship 2; WHKP/TIMES NEWS All-County 2; 1988 Western REGIONAL Basketball Tournament Womens' Class A; Keywanettes 2, 3, 4; Honnor Society 3, 4 — Executive Board 4; Homeroom Secretary 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H 2, 3; Who's Who at HHS.

SHANNON MARIE McNABB: Academic Olympics 3; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; All-State Band 2; French Club 2, 3; Keywanettes 3, 4 — Historian 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H 2; Chorus 4.

VORN MEL: Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Most Valuable Player (Greenville); All-Conference Player of the Week (Greenville); Pep Club 1, 2 (Greenville).

DONNEACA LAFAYETTE MILLER: Basketball 1, 2; Softball 4; Track 2; Most Dependable Person in FHA; Basketball State Championship 2; FHA — Assistant Photographer, Recreational Leader.

ALVERT BELL LORENZO MILLS: Football 4; Track Manager 2.

KELLY RENEE´ NOEGEL: Basketball JV 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Softball JV 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Volleyball JV 1, Varsity 2, 3; Most Valuable Player 3; Basketball Most Hustle 3; All-Conference Volleyball 3; Keywanettes 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Ski Club 1; Spanish Club 2; LAUREATE Representative 2; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1, 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Block letter H 2; Who's Who at HHS; Honor Block.

NEAL ARTHUR NOLAN: Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Festivals 1, 2, 3, 4; Cary Band Festival 3; Career Club President 1; Chorus 2, 3, 4 — Tenor Section Leader; Block letter H.

FELICIA KRISTINE ORR: Governor's School East (Dance) 3; Softball Stats 1; Cheerleading JV Captain 1, Varsity Co-Captain 3, Varsity Captain 4; Keywanettes 3, 4 — Vice-President 3, Treasurer 4; Honor Society 3, 4; French Club 2; Homeroom Secretary 2; Class Secretary 1; Class Vice-President 3; LAUREATE 3, 4 — Organizations Editor 3; Senior Editor 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Pep Board 3, 4 — Co-Head 3, Head 4; Social Department 3; Chorus 2; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff Escort 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Who's Who at HHS 4; Junior Marshal 3; Graduation Marshal 3; 1st Runner-up Junior Miss Program, Preliminary Physical Fitness Award 3; Homecoming Court 2; Homecoming Representative 1; North Carolina's Teen Apple Queen 1; NCASC Leadership Workshop 4; Special Olympics 1; Block letter H; A-B Honor Roll 1, 2, 3; Honor Block.

CAROLYN MARIE OWENS: Academic Olympics 3; Hall of Fame 2; Awards in Accounting, French, & Fashion Design; French Club 2, 3, 4 — Vice-President; FBLA 3; Keywanettes 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Pep Board 1; Honor Block.

DOTTIE ANNE OWENSBY: Volleyball JV 1; Keywanettes 3, 4 — Secretary 4; Election Committee 1, 2, Spanish Club 1; Homeroom President 1, 2, 3, 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff Escort 4; Block letter H; Special Olympics 1, 2, 3, A-B Honor Roll 1, 3; Gymnastics 1, 2.

ALLISON LYNNE PARRISH: Track 3; Citizen of the Month Committee 4; Science Club 1 (Flat Rock); Career Club 2; FBLA Secretary 3; Outing Club 3, 4 — Secretary 3; French Club 3, 4; Jr. Beta Club Reporter 1 (Flat Rock); Student Council Representative 4; Drama 2; Thespians 3, 4; Chorus 1 (Flat Rock) 2; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Achievement & Leadership Award 1; Candy Striper 2.

GLENN STUART PERKINS: Academic Olympics 3, 4; Hall of Fame 3; Governor's School (English) 3; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; District Band 1, 2, 3, 4; State Symphonic Band 3, 4; Enka Marching Band Festival 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Literary Club 2, 3, 4 — Treasurer 4; Honor Society 3, 4; SOCKO 3, 4; Student Council Member-at-large 3; One-Act Plays 4, Honorable Mention Best Actor 4; NC Scholar 4; Block letter H & 4 Chevrons; NC Writing Contest 3; French Quiz Bowl 3; Who's Who at HHS; Honor Block.

GREGORY JOSEPH PHILIPP: Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1; Scholar-Athlete 4; Citizen of the Month 4; Honor Society 3, 4 — Vice-President; Key Club 2, 3, 4 — Committee Head 2; French Club 2, 3 — Vice-President 3; FCA 3, 4; Homeroom Presdient 3; Student Council President 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff Cheerleader 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Block letter H 2; Who's Who at HHS 4; Advanced P.E. Award 3; Math Contest 3; Foreign Language Bowl 3.

WILLIAM MATTHEW PLATZ: Academic Olympics 2, 3; Hall of Fame (Art) 3; Governor's School East (Visual Arts) 2; French Club 2, 3; Literary Club 2, 3, 4 — Secretary 4; Honor Society 3, 4; SOCKO 2, 3, 4— Art Editor 3, 4; Voice of Democracy Essay Contest 3; Scholastic Art Show 3, 4; Junior Marshal 3; Art Award 2; Departmental Art Award 3; NC Writing Contest 3; NC State Superintendent's Choice Art Exhibit 2, 3; Pratt Institute's Cont. ed. Program 3; Who's Who at HHS; Math Contest 1; Ladies Club Regional Art Show 1; WNC Foreign Language Contest; Quiz Bowl (1st); Art Show (2nd); Honor Block.

DAVID ESSAT RAMO: SOCKO 2.

ENRIQUE REVENGA: Track 3 (Scobey); Yearbook 3 (Anaconda).

GEORGIA ANN RICHARDSON: Academic Olympics 3; Hall of Fame 4 (Photography); Spanish Club 2, 3, 4 — Historian 4; Keywanettes 4; Literary Club 3, 4; Point Board 2, 3, Scrapbook committee Co-Head 3; Pep Board 2, 3; Social Committee 2, 3; LAUREATE Photographer 4; SOCKO 3; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 2, 3; Block letter H 4; Voice of Democracy Essay Contest (1st in School) 2; Photography Award 3; Scholastic Art Show 3; Who's Who at HHS.

MARY ELIZABETH RIDINGS: Hall of Fame (French) 3; Cheerleading 2 (Asheville Country Day) 4; French Club 4; Spanish Club 1, 2 (Asheville Country Day); FBLA; SILHOUETTE Representative 1 (Asheville Country Day); SILHOUETTE 1, 2 (Asheville Country Day); STAR 2 (Asheville Country Day); Pep Board 4; International

Relations Committee 4; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 3; Special Olympics 3, 4; Drama (Asheville Country Day).

CATHERINE ROSE RUBENSTEIN: Track 1 (Flat Rock) 2; Cheerleading 4; Athletic Award in Track 1 (Flat Rock); Thespians 3, 4 — Treasurer 4; Literary Club 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Homeroom Secretary 3; SOCKO 2, 3, 4; Student Council Member-at-large 4; Social Committee 3; Pep Board 3, 4; Drama 2, 3, 4; One-Act Play Competition State (1st Runner-up); NC State Thespian Festival 3, 4; One-Act Play Competition (Honorable Mention) 4; "Comedysportz" 3, 4; Chorus 1 (Flat Rock), 3, 4; Powderpuff 3, 4; Block letter H; Special Olympics 3, 4; Beyond War 4; Hendersonville GF-NCFWC Women's Club Visual Arts Competition (Honorable Mention) 1; NC Teen USA Program (State Finalist) 3.

SOKUNTHABOPHA SAM: FBLA 2, 3 — President 3; FCA 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Who's Who Among American High school Students 3; Social Committee 3; Foreign Exchange Committee 4.

ROBERT BRYAN SENTELL: Cross-Country 3, 4; Swimming 1, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 2; FCA 1, 2; Outing Club 3, 4 — President 3; Powderpuff Coach 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4.

ANDRETTA ARLENE SMITH: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 3.

PERRI STEPHANIE SMITH: DECA Secretary 3; Chorus 1 (East Henderson).

MICHAEL HOWARD STEEPY: Soccer 1, 2, 3 (Sparta) 4; Track 1, 2, 3 (Sparta); Student Council Representative 3 (Sparta); Who's Who Among American High School Students 3.

CATHERINE LYNN STEPP: Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; All-State Band 2, 3, 4; Jazz Band 3, 4; Enka Marching Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Outstanding High School Students of America 3; A-B Honor Roll 3; Senior Play Band 2, 3, 4.

RICHARD MITCHELL STEPP: Track 2, 3, 4; Indoor Track 3, 4; Spanish CLub 3; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Homeroom President 1, Vice-President 3, 4, LAUREATE Representative 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4; Student Council Representative 1; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff Coach 3; TAE KWON DO 1, 2, 3, 4; Who's WHO at HHS.

PAULA FRANCES STEWART: Cheerleading 3, 4 — Co-Captain 4; Gymnastics Award 2; Keywanettes 2, 3, 4 — Sophomore Representative 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; French Club 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Homeroom President 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Representative 1, 2, 3, 4; Elections Committee 1, 2, 3, 4 — Co-Head; Pep Board 3, 4; Drama 4; Powderpuff 1, 2, 3, 4 — Captain 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Who's Who at HHS 4.

YVETTE ELIZABETH SUMMEY: FHA 3.

SONJA DENISE THOMPSON: Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Most Valuable Player; All-Conference; Player of the Week; Powderpuff 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1.

MELANIE FRANCINE TREST: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1; Cross-Country 2; Tennis 4.

MICHAEL KEITH TRIGGS: Football Manager 3, 4; Career Club President 1, 2, SOCKO 1, 2, 3.

BENJAMIN HOWARD TWEED: Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 4.

DADE GEREN VANDERWERF, JR.: Carolina Youth Symphony 1, 2, 3; Hendersonville Symphony 2, 3; Senior Play Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Southeastern Music Center 1; Governor's School East (Instrumental Music) 2; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 4; Jazz Band 4; Band President 4; WNC District Band 1; NC Honors Band 1, 2, 4; Nominated for McDonald's Band 4; Powderpuff Flag Corps 4; Quiz Bowl 1, 2, 3; Math Contest 1, 2; Academic Olympics 2, 3; French Competition 3; Awards in Computer Science I, Biology 2; Band 1, 2, 3; History 2; Trigonometry 3; French III 3; Government 3; Harvard Prize Book 3; In-Pursuit-of-Excellence in Geometry 1; Honor Society 3, 4; Junior Marshal 3; Who's Who at HHS 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Literary Club 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Chess Club 2; Homeroom President 4; Block letter H 2; NC Scholar 4; National Merit Semi-Finalist 4; Morehead Nominee; Benjamin Duke and Hodson Scholarships 4; Science Fair, Honor Block.

PETER GLENNON VOLK: Hall of Fame (Sports Medicine) 3; Football Trainer 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1; Swimming 1; Track Trainer 2, 3; Wrestling Trainer 2; Outstanding Trainer of the Year 3; Head Student Trainer 3, 4; Ski Club 2; Computer Club 1, 2; FHA 1; RED & WHITE Representative 3, 4; RED & WHITE 3, 4 — Business Manager 4; Student Council Representative 1; Bulletin Board Head 3; Chorus 1, 2.

RONALD DAVID WAGNER: Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Conference Baseball 3; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4 — President 4; Key Club 3, 4; Chess Club 1, 2; Student Council Representative 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; NC State Nuclear Science & Engineering Camp 4.

EMILY JANE WATERS: Academic Olympics 3 — French (5th) 3; Hall of Fame French II 2; Volleybal Stats 1; French I Award 1; French II Award 2; French Club President 2, 3, 4; Literary Club 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 2; SOCKO 2, 3, 4; Student Council Representative 2, Member-at-large 1; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Special Olympics 2, 3, 4; Honor Block.

MICHEAL O'NEAL WATERS: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1; All-Conference Football; All-Area Football; Co-Captain 4; FCA 3.

AMY DAVIS WILLIAMS: Softball 2, 3, 4; Swimming 1; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Homeroom Vice-President 3, 4; Homeroom Secretary 1, 2; Student Council Representative 2; International Relations Committee Head 3; Drama 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4 — Secretary 3; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1, 2, 3, 4; Ski Club 1, 2; French Club 2; Freshman Kiwanis Achievement Award 1.

APRIL DOTTY WILLIAMS: Marching Band 1, 2; Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3; Enka Band Contet 1, 2; Asheville Concert BAND Competition 3; French Club 2, 3, 4; Literary Club 3; FBLA 4; Social Department 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Homeroom President 2, Vice-President 3, RED & WHITE Representative 2; RED & WHITE 3, 4 — Editor-in-Chief 4; SOCKO 3, 4; Student Council Representative 3, 4, Member-at-large 2; Citizen of the Month Committee 4; NC Scholar 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; TIMES-NEWS Contributor to Espirit! page, 4.

JENNIFER ANN YOST: Ski Club 1; FHA 4; French Club 2, 3; NC Scholar 4; Powderpuff 1, 2, 3, 4.

JUNIORS

Dawn Stenson, Wike Graham, Kyla Eggen, Steve Lewis, and Dawn Rhodes — members of the Class of 1990 — proudly look ahead to their bright future.

Step by Step

Juniors — people a step away from glory. While they are considered upperclassmen, they are merely waiting in the wings for their moment in the sun. **Stephanie Brendell** captured the spirit of the class, stating, "The best thing about being a junior is that I'm almost a senior."

Although the junior year was mostly anticipation, the Class of 1990 showed pride in HHS by active participation in school projects and activities.

"I sensed a really united feeling in our class this year," said **Rebecca Haskins**, "There was a lot of school spirit. Just wait until we're seniors!"

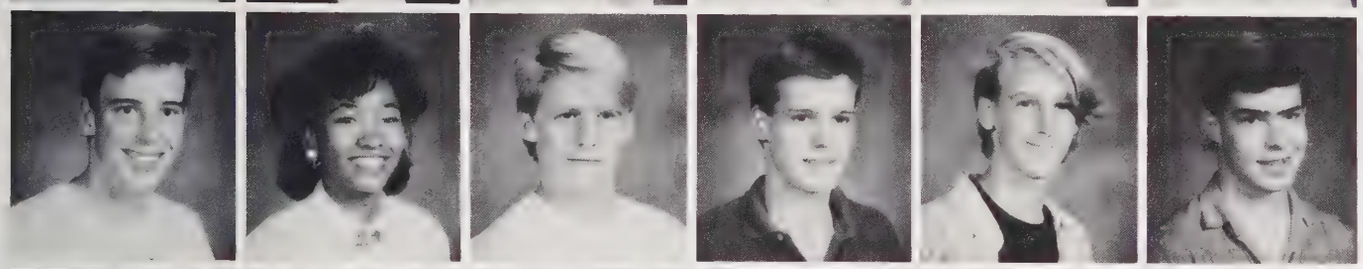
Throughout the year, it became clear that the junior class was conscious of the standard of excellence at Hendersonville High School and strived to maintain it.

Lydia Dominy looks tired after another demanding day at HHS.

Rachel Waddell looks excited as the bell finally ends another day in geometry class.

Fran Anderson
Virginia Atkins
Kathleen Ausley
Amy Baldwin
Joanie Baughman
Tiffani Beddingfield

Kelly Bell
Shannel Billeter
Cindy Bogert
Mike Boyd
Lee Bradley
Stephanie Brendell



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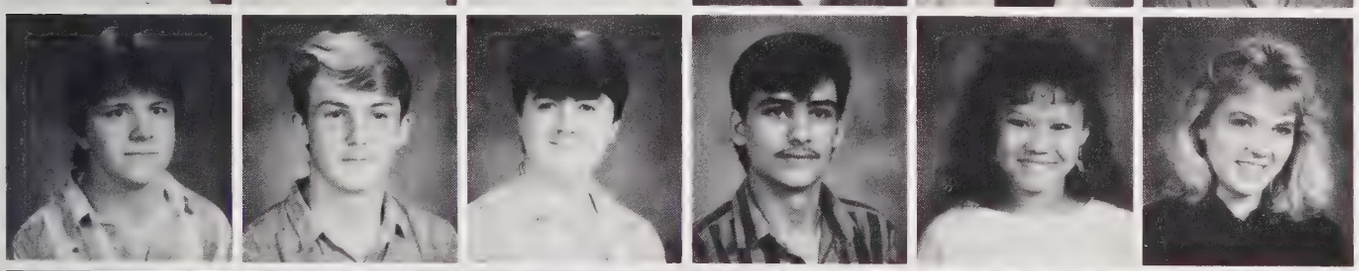
Danny Butz
Alan Byrd



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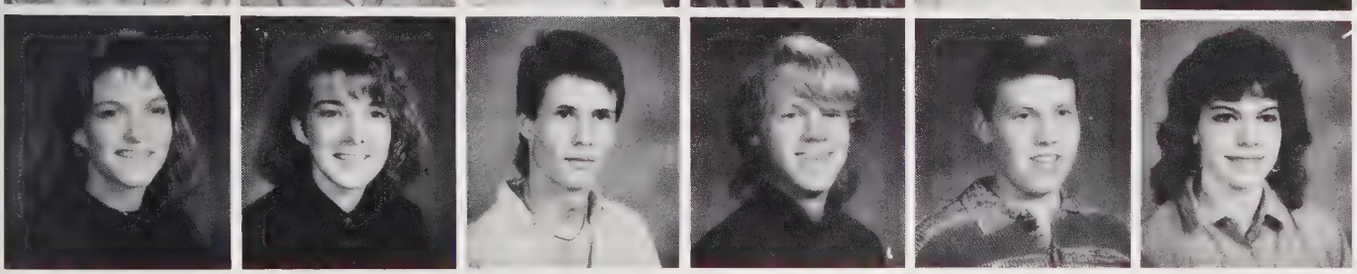
Brian Caroway
Trip Cavender
Sok Kheng Cheng
Caryn Clark



Monica Cleary
Jennifer Cox
Jerry Cribb
Matt Davis
Tom Deaver
Lydia Dominy

Being Responsible

Driver's License, PSAT's, the Junior-Senior Prom, Research Papers — these are all trademarks of the junior year. After two years at hard work, things are starting to pay off.

Juniors began to unite as they geared ahead to a new year of excitement, fun, and also work. The junior year for most is demanding, with a full range of new and old activities within grasp.

Juniors, must accept more responsibility and leadership during school activities. This year's class took control of that responsibility and they did it with class.

Eagerly selling tickets to a basketball game, Jim Perry shows his Junior spirit.

"Being a president takes a lot of work and determination, and we hope to have the best Junior-Senior ever." —Joe Hodge, President

"Being vice-president of the junior class has given me a sense of responsibility that can never be replaced." —Bo Johnson, Vice President

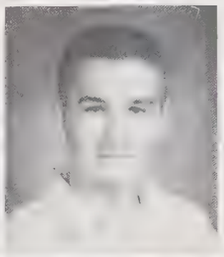
"The members of my class have entrusted in me a responsibility to serve them to the best of my ability." —Zane Honnold, Treasurer

"I wanted to be secretary to help support my class and feel a sense of responsibility." —Kim Swanner, Secretary

Kristin Dunn

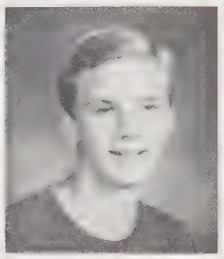
Natasha Dunn

Kyla Eggen



Erik Forsgren

Bennett French



Paul Goebel

Chris Goodson

Wike Graham

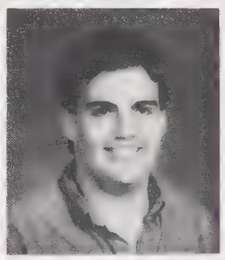
Traci Greene

Jay Ham

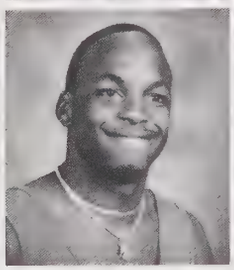
Charlotte Hansson

Pierrette Harshaw

Rebecca Haskins



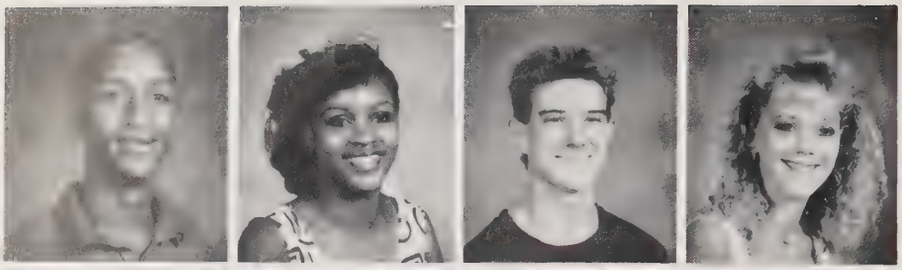
Joe Hodge



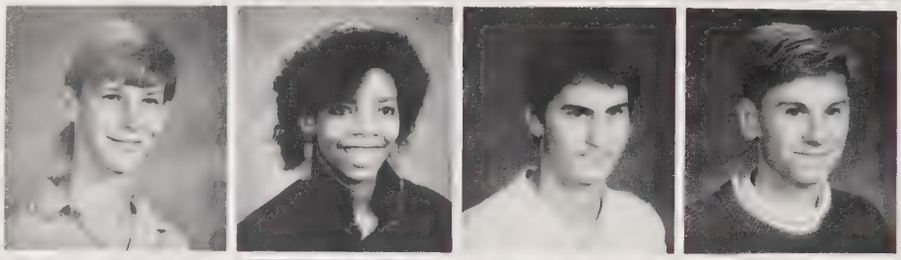
Henry Holmes

Zane Honnold

Michael Horne
Shalonda Howard
Josh Hughey
Melissa Huntley



Tim Israel
Sonya Jackson
Matt Johnes
Bo Johnson



Nita Johnson
Servetta Johnson
Ryan Johnson
Brent Jones

Cheryl Kane
Todd King
Troy King
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Jennifer Klein
Joe Konsler

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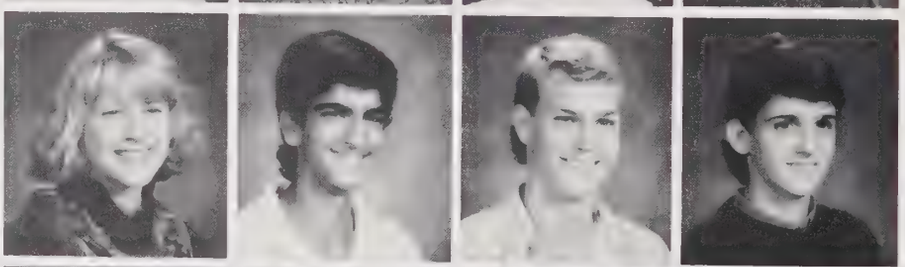
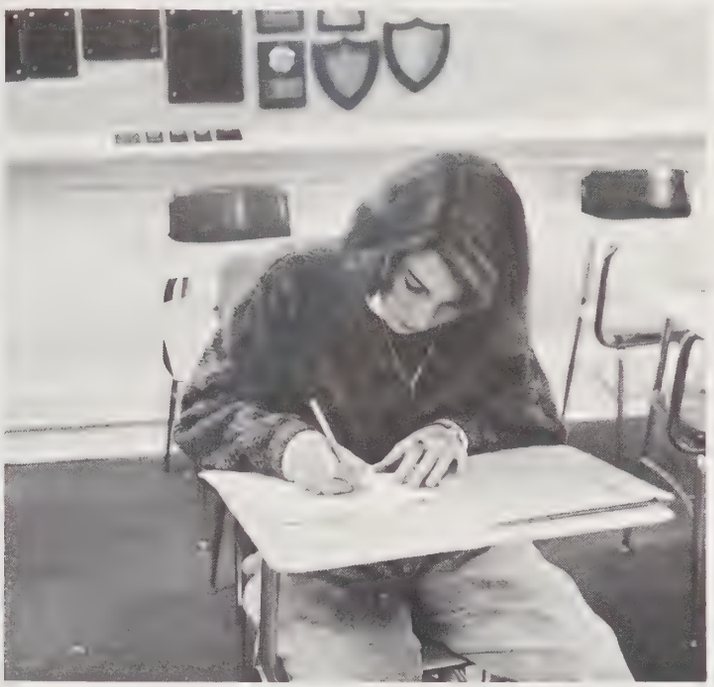
Ryan Kudva
Scott Lee
Steve Lewis



Arthur Lofton
Tommy Long
Heather Loveland
Tommy McClean

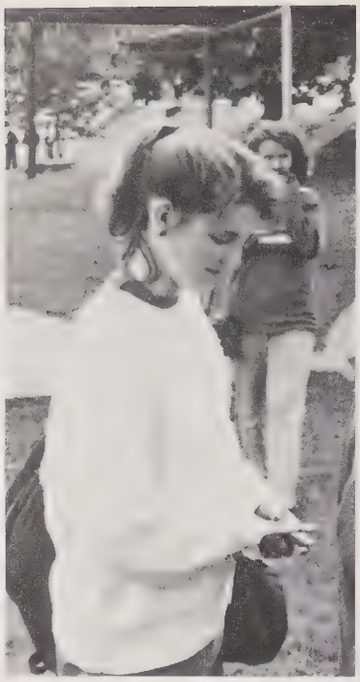
Preston McCrary
Rachel McGinnis
James McG...
Chad McNeill

Holly Shuler eyes a pinata hungrily and prepares to swing.



Jennifer Cox diligently writes the answer to a puzzling math problem after school.

Charlotte Hansson reads her magazine during a rare free moment in class.



Unaware that she is being observed, Monica Cleary captively examines her hand.

Wike Graham, Zane Honnold, and Chuck Roberts show their GQ poses as they flash winning smiles.

Christy Maultsby
No Mel
Rachel Michalove
Heather Orr
Lee Pace
Dan Painter

Jim Perry
Alice Peschl
Baron Rhew
Dawn Rhodes
Chuck Roberts
Sharon Robinson

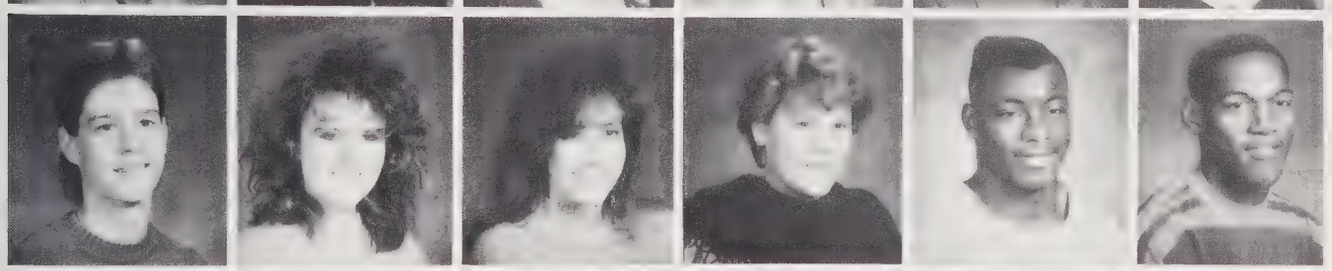
Tippy Robinson
Randy Rollins
Melissa Saltz
Sam Samotis
Robert Schmid
Troy Schuderer

NOT PICTURED

Jonathon Boyce
Duqui Boyd
Tina Braswell
Cassandra Curenton
Fred Dermid
Renee Dirkse
Bertha Fernandez
Novella Grier
Ibrahim Helal
Chris Hudson
Brian Johnson
Ryan Johnson
Adam Justice
Robert Kensinger
Chris King
Tabatha Mashewske
Everette Moreland
Melissa Morrow
Steve Nattress
Susan Novak
Mark Opperman
Terry Lee Otis
Edward Peak
Leslie Poarch
David Reeves
Reva Robinson
Charles Rowe
Mike Simpson
Danny Smith
Kim Thomsen

Preston McCrary polishes his programming skills as he works on one of the school's computers.

Heather Shuler
Ike Smith
Sameth Sorn
Brad Steinbeck
Dawn Stenson
Deini Summers



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Jeff Swann
Dana Terebelski
Jennie Thomas
Elijah Timmons
Jonathan Twitty

Rachel Waddell
Virginia Wagner
Vince Wilson
Larry Wright
Brian Young

SOPHOMORES

Sophomores attend their November class meeting with enthusiasm.

TRANSITION TIME

The sophomore year is best described as a transition time. Not quite upperclassman, yet not a new face in the crowd, the sophomore year is one of fun and growth. **Cathy Philipp** said her favorite thing about being a sophomore was, "You're not a freshman anymore."

Michael Patwin stated that during his sophomore year, "You get to have the senior's guidance through both your academic and social encounters and moral dilemmas."

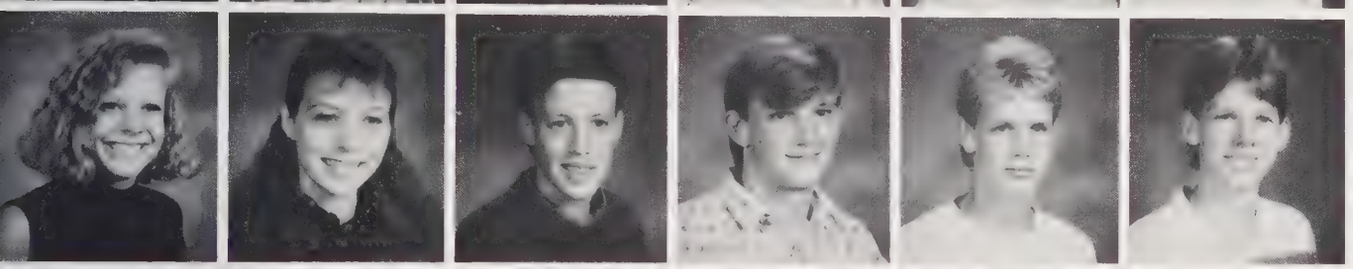
Fran Piscitelli summed it up best, "You get more privileges, and you're not the youngest anymore — fewer people to look up to and more people to look down on."

Truly the sophomore year was a time of transition.

Digging through her locker, Stacey Carter prepares her materials for the next class.

Shane Snyder and Cliff Futch slowly pass time as the clock ticks the minutes away.

Rich Allison
Jason Apple
Teresa Bagenstos
Monica Barajas
Tracy Barilari
Tonya Baskins



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Jake Brezillac

Kevin Brookshire
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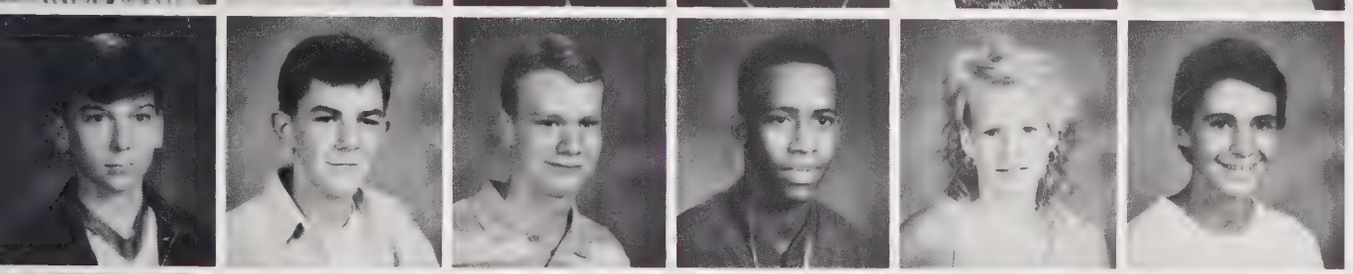
Nora Bryan
Bobby Bryson
Ronnie Bryson
Chris Burge



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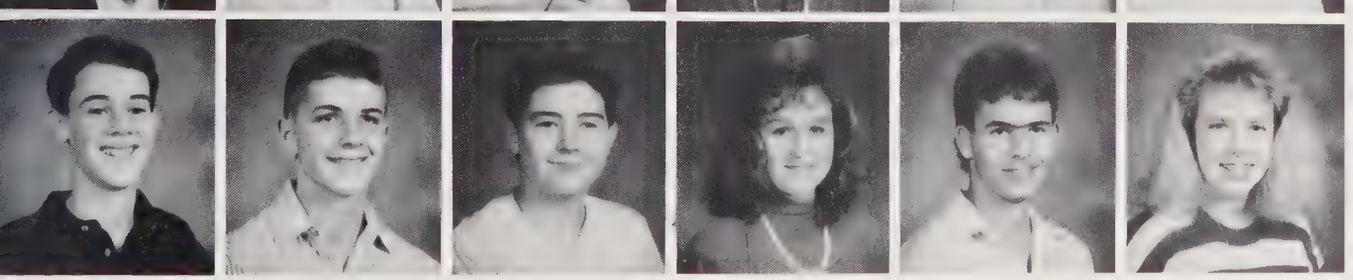
John Byrd
Jack Capps
Morris Carter
Stacey Carter
Ty Chambers



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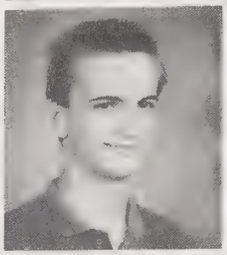
Rodney Clark
David Conner
Gina Corbisiero
Alan Cornwell
Heather Davis

Damini Desai
Maryirene Douglas

Brannon Duncan
Robin Dygert



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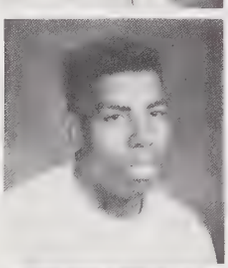
Chris Edney

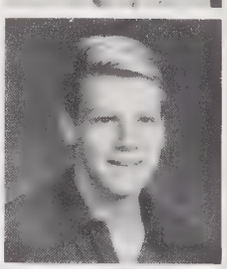
Jenny Egolf
Wendy Etheridge

Jason Faucett
Desire Foster

Michael Gash
Angela Gibbs

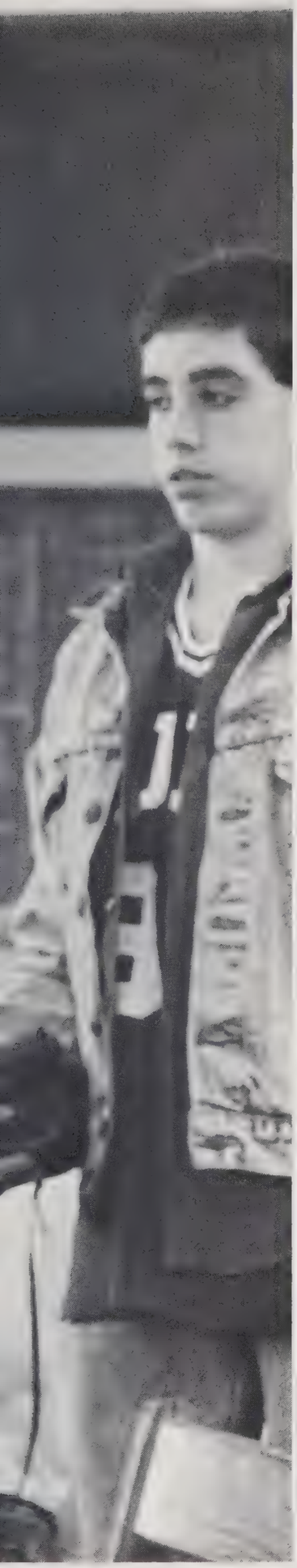


Jennifer Gibson
Chip Gilbert



Kristian Gordon
Kyle Graham

Settling IN



Looking for a photogenic subject, Hal Jackson sets the camera's eye upon Paul LaGrange.

The sophomore class, in its second year of high school, has grown in spirit, in maturity, and in scholastics. The sophomore year is the time to get settled and set a high standard to follow for the rest of high school. Grades are very important but so is responsibility, maturity, and spirit. This year's sophomore class has certainly developed all of these traits.

"I don't care if you're black or if you're white. I don't care if you make straight A's or if you're about to drop out – I speak for everyone." —C.J. Chipley, President

"It is a good chance to know the students in our class." —Les Boyd, Vice-President

"It gives me responsibility and at the same time lets me be more active in the sophomore class." —Erich Then, Secretary

"Being an officer gives me a chance to serve my fellow classmates." —Kim Stephens, Treasurer

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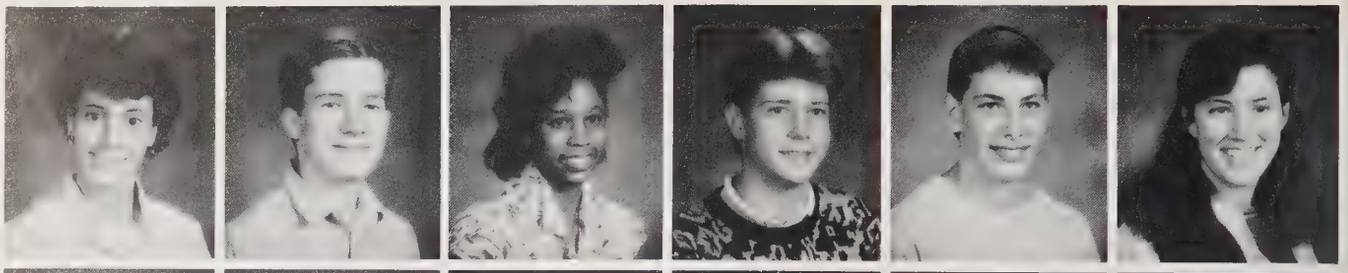
Lane Heffner
Kristie Hensley



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Mike Hudson

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Hal Jackson
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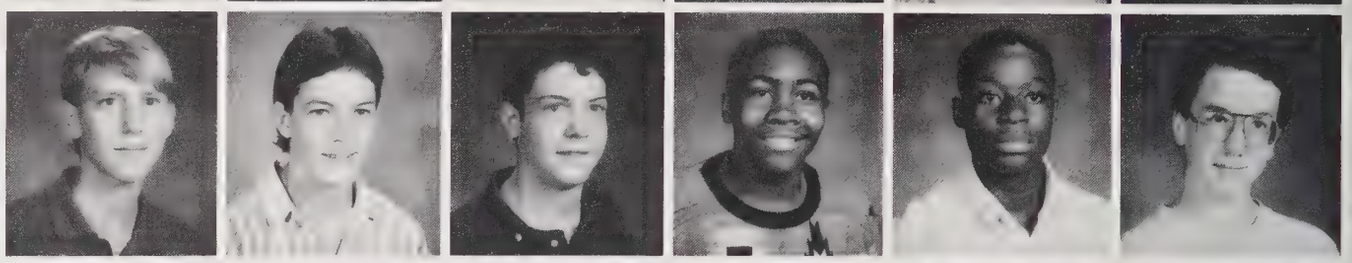

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Melissa Kellen
Kyle Killian
Alton King

Kelly King
Sonaly Kirkley
Paul LaGrange
Richie Lampke
Kevin Lanning
Connie Ledbetter

Robin Logan
Sarita Loveland
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Matt McKibben
Craig McNurtry

Heather Markel
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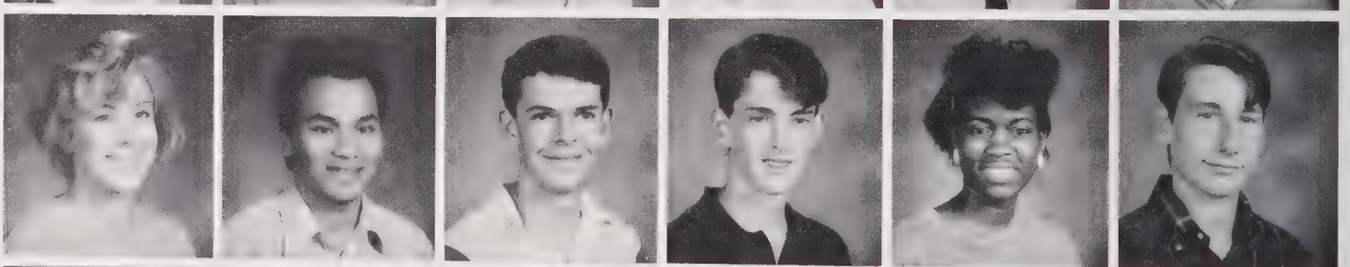


Kris Mucci
Ashley Norris
Brian Orr
Kelly Orr
Tammy Osteen
David Owens

Concentrating on his homework, Edward Morris proves yet another geometric theorem.

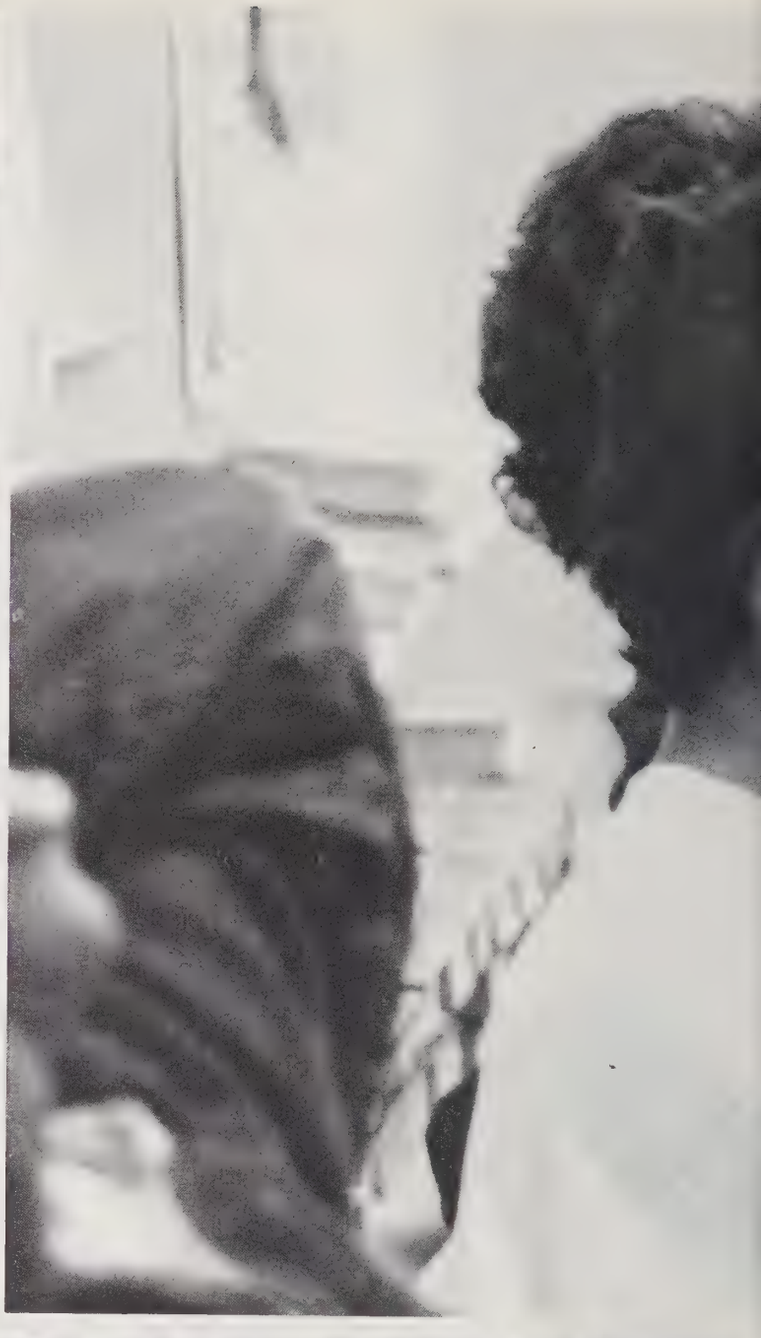
Wendy Etheridge peers into the depths of her locker to find yet another assignment.

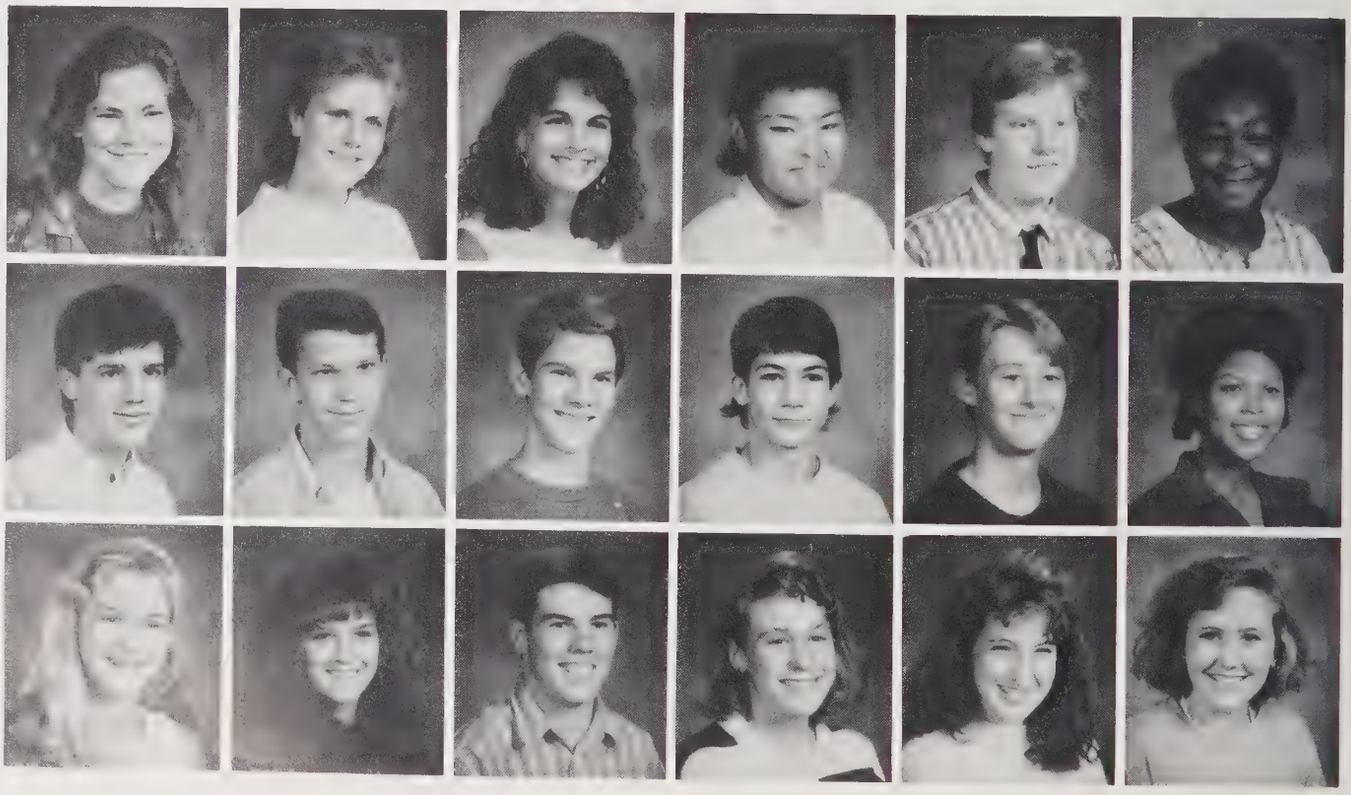
Larry Pace
Tom Pace
Michael Patwin
Nathan Pearce
Brian Peeler
Cathy Philipp

Fran Piscitelli
Matthew Ray
Neil Roberts
Kristie Ross
Jeff Shetterly
Ivan Shipman

Kristie Ross shows her pride in our flag as she recites the Pledge of Allegiance in an assembly.

Chip Gilbert chats with a friend before the bell rings to begin class.





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Marie Snipes
Shane Snyder
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Marc Stierwalt
Jeff Stilber
Carl Stoneham
Greg Strickland
Kelly Summerrow
Dawn Summey

Amy Sydell
Staci Taylor
Erich Then
Laura Thomas
Stacy Thompson
Laura Todd

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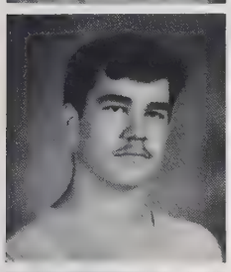
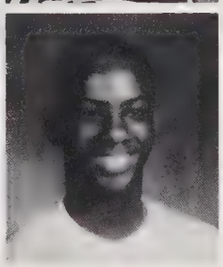
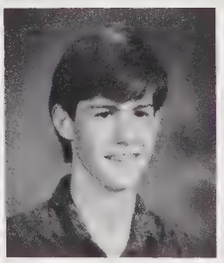
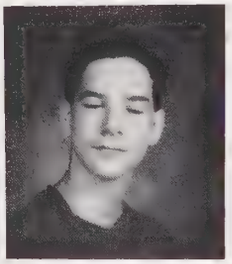
Charles Canipe
Cliff Futch
Hal Harvey
Vincent Robinson
Traci Rowe
Scott Strickland
David Talsky
Conseula Thompson
Ryan Trimbur
Christy Tucker
Chris Waters
Darren Waters
Michael Whiteside

David Owens shyly looks across the room at something that is obviously eye-catching.

Amy Tomlo
Karen Twitty
Stephanie Walker
Roddell Washington
Kim Waters
Lucy Waters





Bryan White
Derek Whiteside
Jodi Williams
Mike Williams
Amy Willis
Eric Wood

Glenn Woodley

Freshmen

A group of freshmen appear to be waiting for the four exciting years that are ahead.

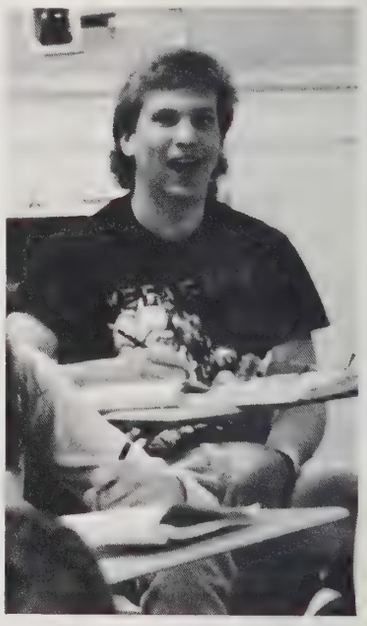
The Arrival

It was August. They came. They came in cars; they came in trucks; they came on bikes, but mostly they came on skateboards. They were the new generation of scrambling freshmen at HHS.

These were no ordinary freshmen; they refused to subject themselves to senior domination. Individuality led each student on his own personal path.

In fact, very few students experienced the stress and uncertainty normally associated with the start of a high school career. **Richard George** obviously had no problem adjusting as he casually remarked, "Weekdays are pleasant." **Scott Daley** agreed and added, "School would be okay if you took out the homework and teachers."

With three more years left to develop their potential, the freshmen class can offer much to the school. They have already placed themselves in the mainstream of high school life and are prepared to uphold HHS's standards of excellence.



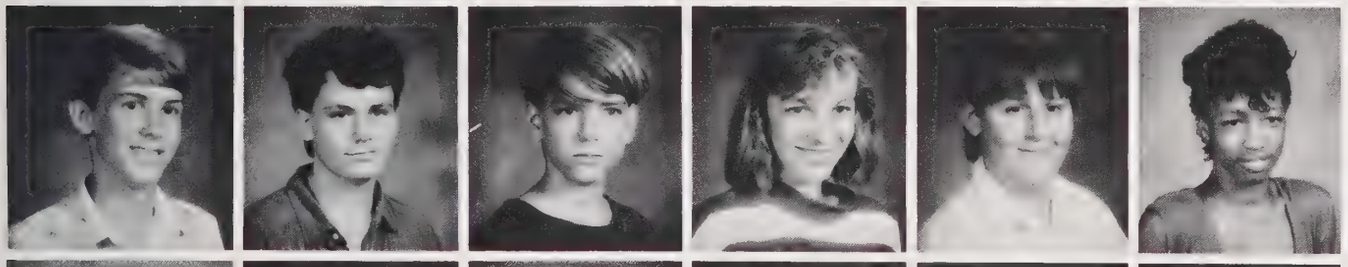
Todd Kuhar looks pleasantly surprised as the camera catches his eye in Spanish class.

Not only are they men; they are fresh . . . men.

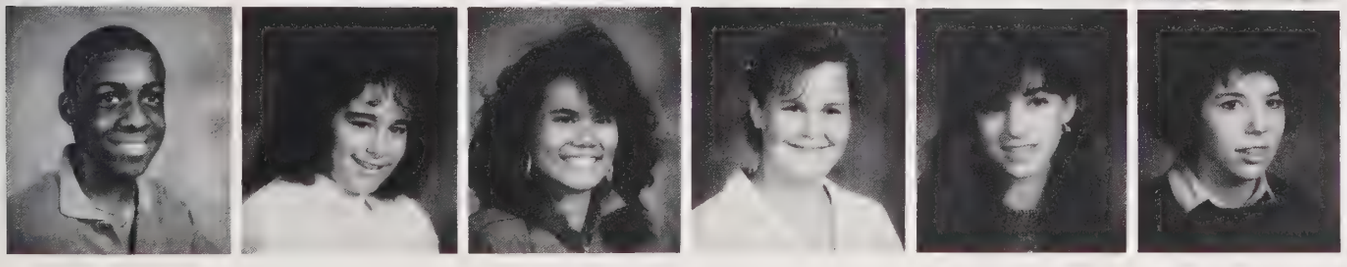
Cliff Aaron
Paula Anderson
Tayo Aribidesi
Mary Battista
Heather Bell
Trinity Bell

Bill Bloomingdale
Noa Bonk
Tiffany Boyce
Emery Boyd
Dennis Braswell
Heather Brown

David Butz
George Carenas
Iris Carter
Joy Case
Anthony Clayton
Julian Collier



Marcus Copolillo
Wes Cox
Jacob Cram
Melissa Cribb
Scott Daley
Markeatha Davidson



Anthony Davis
Maria DeGance
Cathy de la Cruz
Wendy Dennis
Jessica Dickinson
Leanne Dirkse

New Faces

Freshman — just the sound of the word paints an image of small students cowering before the intolerant eyes of the seniors. However, the freshman class was truly unique with its own set of characteristics and qualities. **Heather Neeld** stated that "Individuals range from head-bangers to hippies to the academically superior."

Coach Carter, a favorite freshman teacher, said of the freshman class, "They are basically a hard-working group."

As we all know, a mixture of individuals and hard work at Hendersonville High School can only mean success.

They're back and this time they have freshmen! The killer bushes have attacked Simon Lashford and Marcus Copolillo.

"I'm proud to be an officer because I get the opportunity to work with my class and to get to know everyone a little bit better." —Emery Boyd, President

"Upperclassmen can't push us around because they think we are small; we got leadership; we got pride; we get respect, and we don't hide. All these qualities are the best. The freshmen class better than the rest." —Jason Loveday, Vice-President

"You get to meet new people. It will help you with college because you learn to lead." —Tiffany Boyce, Secretary

"As an officer, I learn leadership skills and get experience for the future. I feel more a part of the class." —Wimberly Hubert, Treasurer

David Eaton
Taffy Edgerton

Trade Elkins
Debra Estes

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Bill Formichella

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Greg Garrison

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Richard Glover

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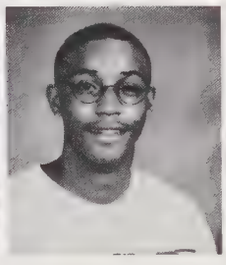

Heather Gullyes
Jamal Hackler

Christine Owens strikes a tune on the zylophone during a band performance.

Andrew Johns ponders the numerous implications of Physical Science.

Reggie Harrison
Erin Havard
Brian Hawkins
Leigh Hollis
Jeremy Hoots
Wimberly Hubert

Karen Hudson
Jenna Igoe
Suzanne Igoe
Jermaine Jennings
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Quy Johnson

Zonora Johnson
Darcy Jones
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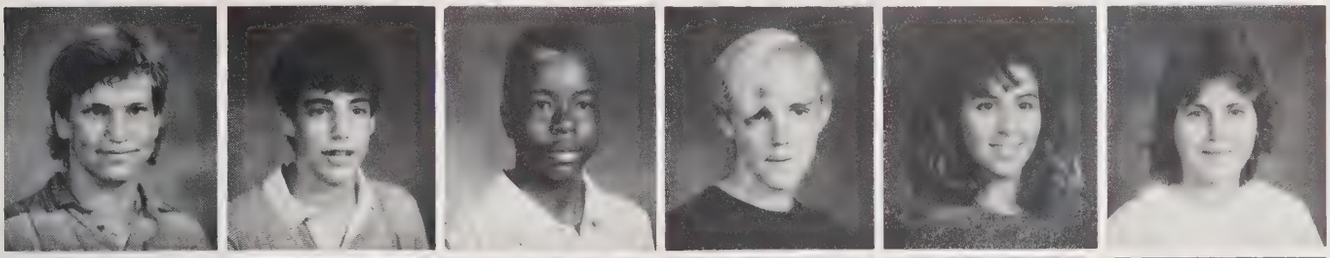
Lydia Kiefer
Brook King
Michael Knox



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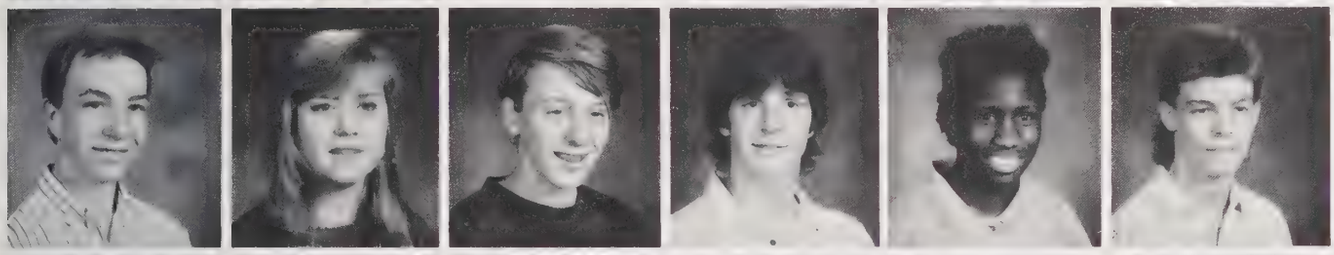
Brett LaGrange
Miquel Lammons
Simon Lashford
Joy Leider
Emily Leonardi

Jason Loveday
Kevin Lowrance
Mike Masters
Kathleen McDonough
Shawn Miles
Markita Minors



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John Nelson
Ben Nesbitt
Deborah Newkirk
Sean Nix

Christine Owens
Kimberly Pardue
Arpana Patel
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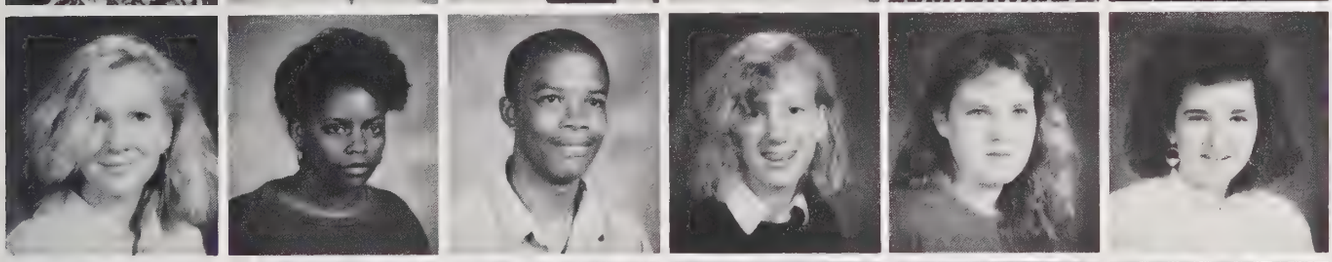
Julia Perkins
Catherine Perry

Lacey Picard
Tony Pilgrim
Melanie Pittillo
Jason Pyles
Joe Renegar
Cathey Ridings



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William Robinson
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Melissa Ruff

Doug Saltz
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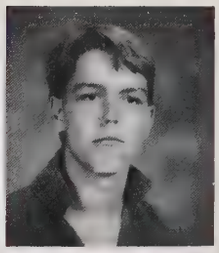

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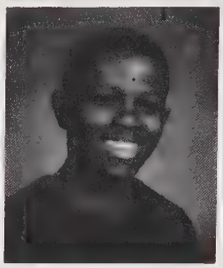
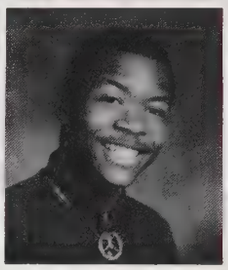
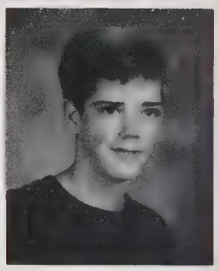
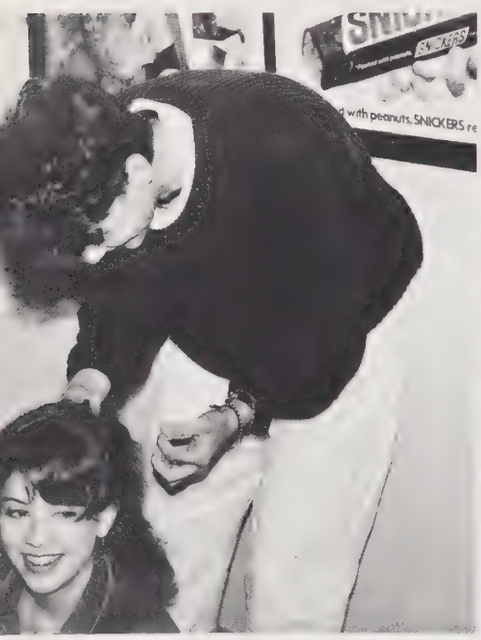
Julie Webb
Andre Whiteside
David Wierzbicki
Demetrius Williams
Matt Yelverton





Paula Anderson seems to be searching for something in her friend's hair.

James Darden, Denis Braswell, and Zondra Johnson have fun in Coach Pierce's English class.

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John Baughman
Treas Boyd
Tarji Caldwell
Brian Caudle
James Dalton
James Darden
Mike Davis
Jayesh Desai
J.D. Featherstone
Sam Foster
William Fowler
Nicole Graham
Mike Hudson
Luke Hunter
Jeff Jennings
C.J. Johnson
Johnny Jones
Tangi King
Carter Lackey
Travis Lindsey
Kevin Logan
Glen Lovelace
Teresa McCoy
Kim Nelson
Jason Ostman
Deanna Peak
Christine Prater
Neil Roberts
Brian Rowe
Donna Shell
Teaka Smith
Eddie Thompson
Matt Tweed
Iris Wagner
Chandra Waters
Sholonda Williams
Chris Zserai

A GOAL IN MIND

Mr. Gibson and Mrs. Shipman approach the TMH class with a goal of teaching the individual to live as independently as possible. To do this, they teach vocational training using their greenhouse, woodshop, and kitchen. When asked about this training, **Greg Robinson** said, "I like it. I like working with my friends in the shop." **Tim Glover** added, "I like to cook with Mrs. Shipman."

While the goal of the class is not an easy one, they are sure to reach it with the hard work and spirit they have shown HHS.

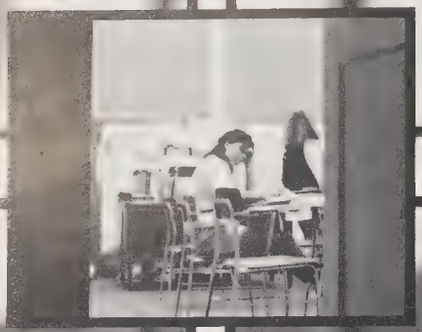
Mrs. Shipman helps Greg Robinson and Brendon Roberts with their projects.

Angie Sorrell and Jimmy Shields enjoy the woodworking course of the TMH class.

Sarah Ramsey shows her school spirit by helping to keep HHS clean.

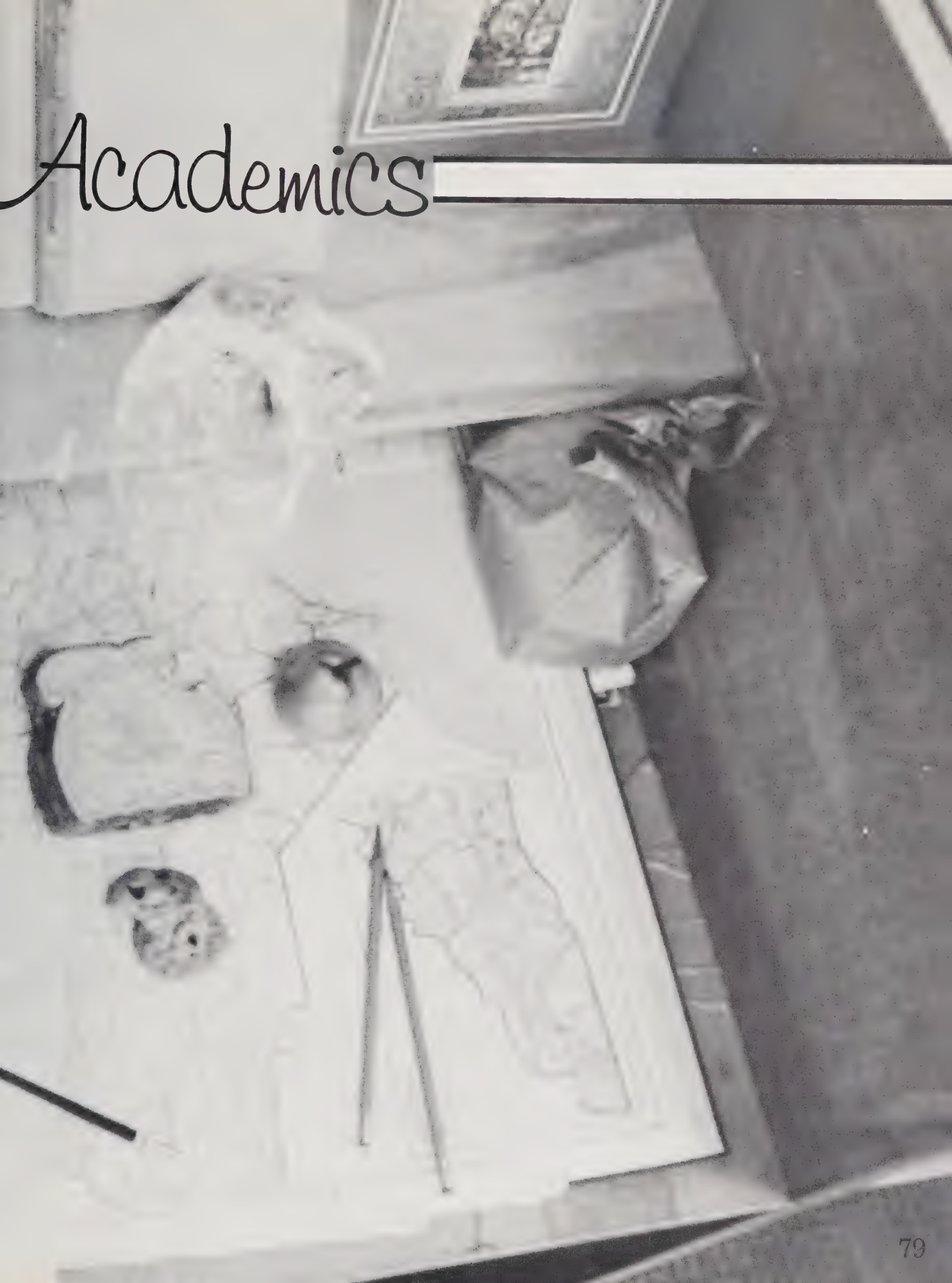
Timmy Cantrell
Chris Davidson
Tina Glover
Vicky Lanning
Sarah Ramsey

Steven Riker
Brendon Roberts
Greg Robinson
Angie Sorell
Joey Strouther



Outstanding

Academics

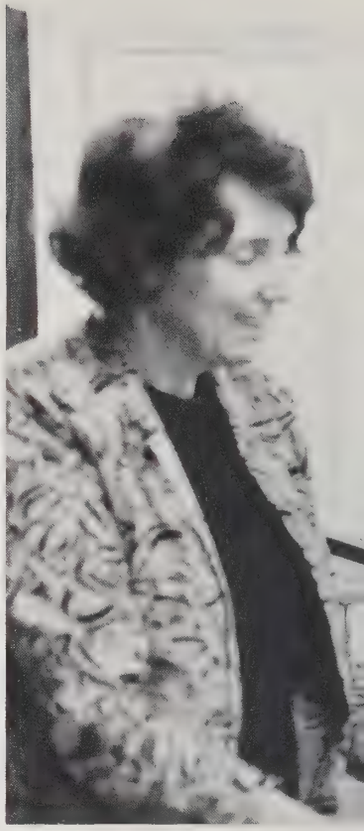


Reign Makers

School (skool)n. A place or institution for teaching and learning. HHS exemplified this definition as an establishment for education in which the teachers and students were dedicated to the education process. The faculty was known for its ability to challenge the potential of the students. Students responded with hours of reading, memorizing, and preparing. The long-standing custom of excellence in education was definitely maintained in 1989. **Tommy McLean** stated, "Without a dedicated and caring faculty, HHS would not be what it is today."

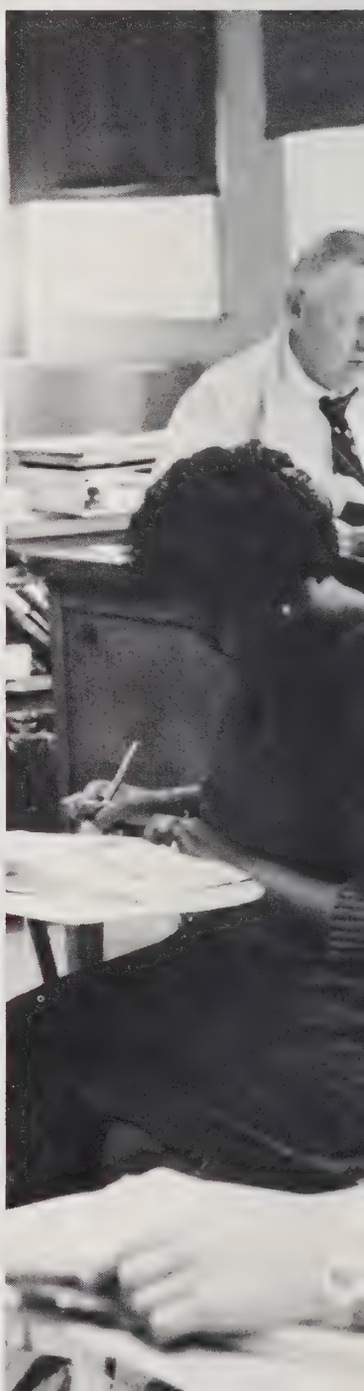
Tim Gore said, "Teachers here seem to care about students, not just in their school work but also in their extra curricular activities, and this makes the staff unique."

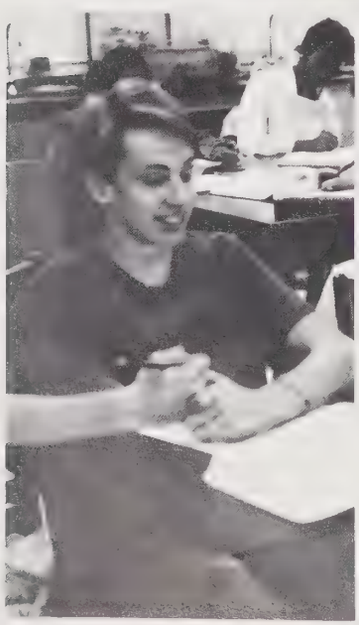
Since HHS was a relatively small school, teachers were able to develop close relationships with students while teaching them at the same time. With a highly accomplished staff and a motivated student force, HHS was truly filled with reign makers.



Mrs. Russell, sponsor of the RED AND WHITE, seems very pleased with the results of her students' writing.

Susan Brittain and Leigh Gullyes work their way through one of Mr. Jackson's difficult calculus problems.





Jason Apple takes a break during biology in an attempt to find himself.

Elliott Lewis expands the boundaries of his intelligence while the class looks on intently.

Coach Carter sits in his mighty chair while he oversees the physical science class.

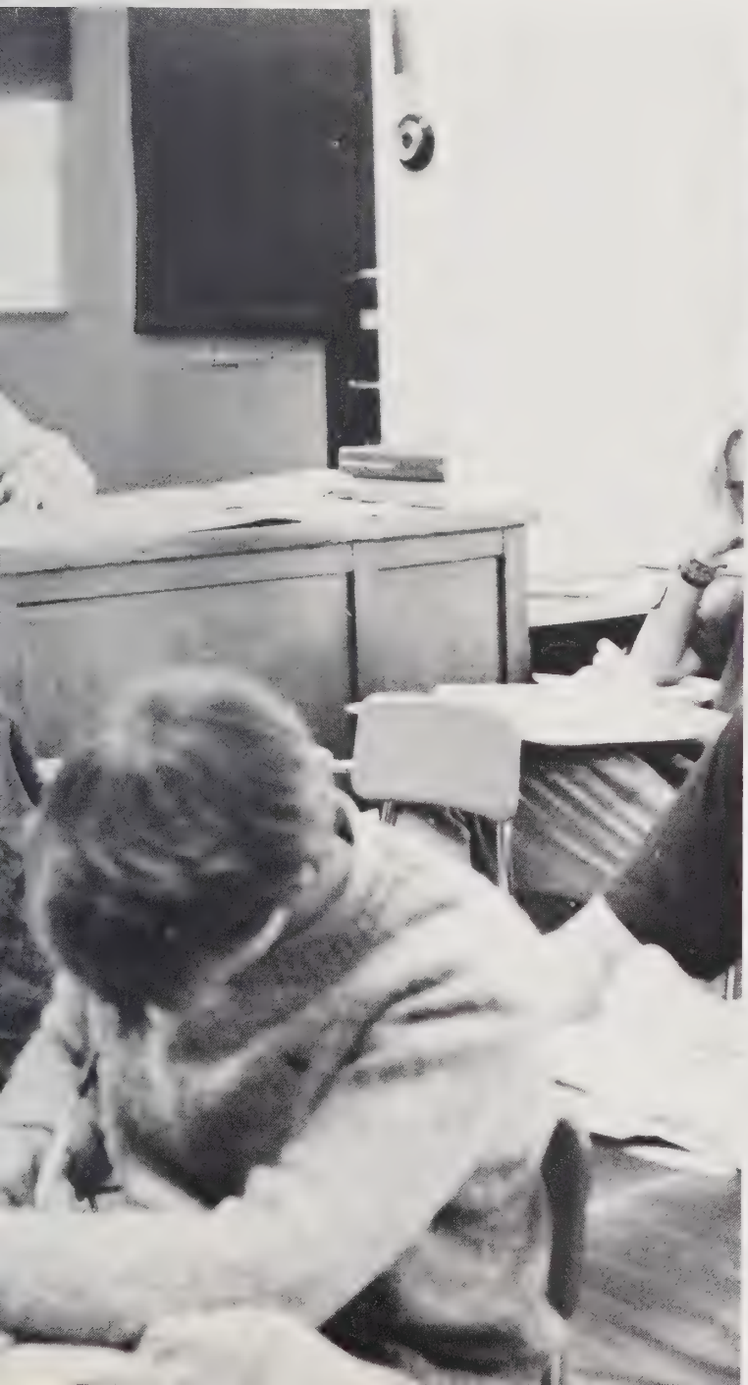
VOCATIONAL

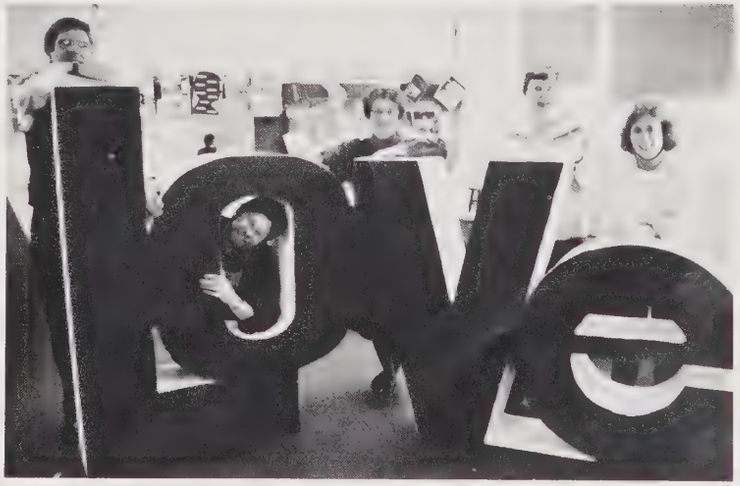
Denny Williams, Bud Gibson, Buddy Dotson, Anne Gibson, Ted Brackett, Arlene Johnson, David Malpass, Hannah Edwards

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Judy Stoneham, Marisa Rutter, Betsy Copolillo

FINE ARTS





T. Orr, M. Phillips, E. Reim, L. Henderson, F. Shelton

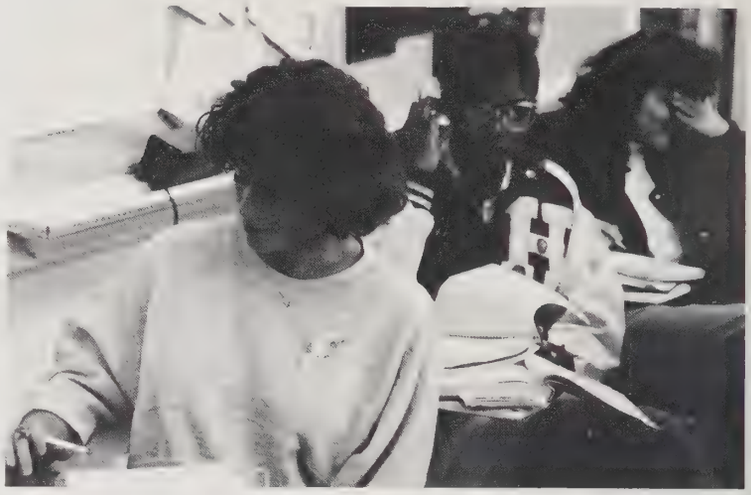
Summer Mackel studies intently while others have different things in mind.

Coach Pardue and Mr. Dotson on duty tour the school grounds.

Dedication to Education

This year, the seniors scurried for prestigious scholarships. One of these elite scholarships was the Morehead, a full scholarship to UNC-Chapel Hill, valued at over $30,000

HHS nominees for the Morehead were **Drew Adams, Webb Garrison,** and **Dade VanDerWerf.** Each of these students displayed exemplary qualities in scholarship, leadership, and service. Webb Garrison, who advanced to the district level, commented, "Being nominated for the Morehead is one of the greatest honors ever bestowed upon me. It has been worth all the activities in which I have ever participated."

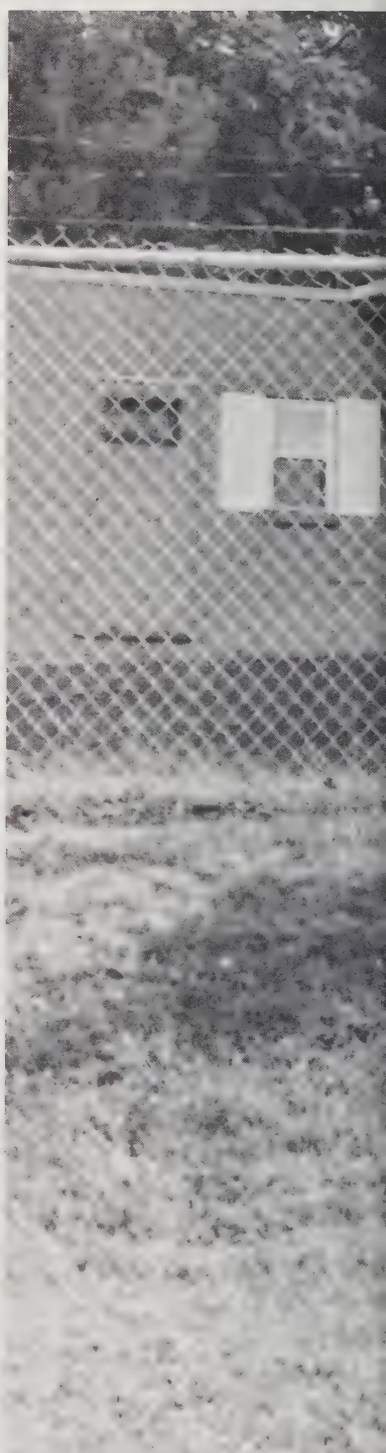


DRIVER'S ED

Randy Blankenship

RESOURCE

Mike Strange, Irene Moody, Richard Brown



MEDIA

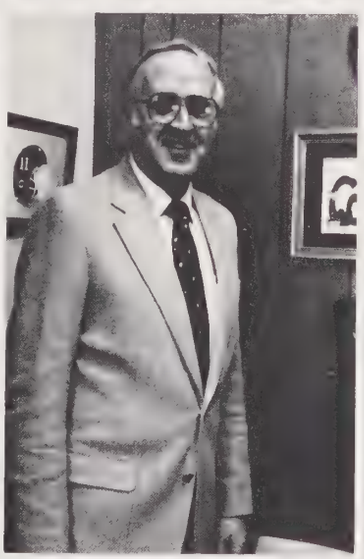
Linda Henderson

SOCIAL STUDIES

Frank Gerard, Joe LaGrange, Lisa Vierra, David Kohburn, Paul Goebel

Tom Wilson

Gail Johnson



Jim Pardue

Cathy Childress

Mr. Orr, a stickler for neatness, picks up trash on Dietz Field.

Directions

Once again many seniors planned to advance to the institution of enlightenment known by many as college. An overwhelming majority wanted to enter state colleges in order to gain a bountiful education in a place not too far away from home. Although college choices were somewhat similar, the graduating class definitely had contrasting interests, varying from art to engineering to sports medicine. **Emily Waters** said, "Our class is filled with diversities which we can use to our advantage — instead of focusing on our differences, we need to come together and realize the potential we have in a collective effort as a class."

The Class of 1989 certainly had diverse skills that will help them head toward successful directions in the future.

SCIENCE

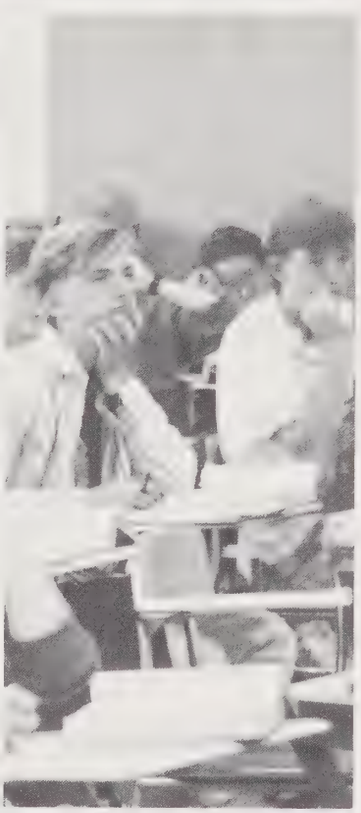
Phil Brintnall, Tom Murray, Kendall Taylor, Roy Carter, J.B. Franklin

GUIDANCE

Jack Johnson, [illegible] Stover, Onita Wray

If a picture is worth a thousand words, Coach Wilkins should be in the English Department.

Jessica Laughter takes a break to share a laugh with Hal Jackson and Wike Graham.



Kevin Brookshire exercises his intellectual capability as he figures out another demanding Algebra II problem.

Coach Brintnall shows stern concentration as he looks onto the gridiron.

School Out of School

In the summer of 1988, four students went to summer school of a different kind. **Drew Adams, Webb Garrison, Judith Kirkman,** and **Ryan Kudva** were selected to attend North Carolina Governor's School for six weeks. Each student had a chance not only to work in his area of expertise but also to learn more about himself in classes in philosophy and society. There was also leisure time for them to meet new people and make new friends.

Drew Adams said, "Governor's School provided me a unique atmosphere in which I could learn more about myself and the world around me."

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lem Jones, David Pierce, Phil Brintnall, Kathy Morgan

MATH

Sharman Norman, Baron Jackson, Bess Copolillo, Peggy Lovvorn, Bobby Wilkins

Mrs. Bates discovers what it is like to be a bag lady.

April Williams seems content as she shows off her sassy smile.

ENGLISH

Betty Bates, David Pierce, Lisa Vierra, Tom Orr, Beverly Russell, Alice Lawson

TMH

Fran Shipman, Skip Gibson

Mr. Taylor's discussion of Physics is obviously over Cheryl Kane's and Brian Crisp's heads.

Greg Philipp, Stephen Mace, and Peter Volk know that there's more to school life than just school.

Coach Johnson provides guidance both on and off the field.

Realizing that they are what they eat, Miss Henderson and Mrs. Wray eye their food cautiously.

Rick Stepp isn't afraid to do the dirty work as he picks up garbage during a Key Club activity.

Dade VanDerWerf finds great satisfaction in playing doctor.

A Taste of Culture

For most people, Hendersonville and HHS were familiar environments. However, for a few students it was truly a foreign experience.

This year there were three foreign exchange students attending HHS — **Enrique Revenga** from Spain, **Charlotte Hansen** from Sweden, and **Kim Thomsen** from Denmark. Although each of them had to make choices in their lives to adjust to American culture, they all seemed to enjoy life in America.

Kim Thomsen said, "I believe that America is a great country because everything is different over here — like the cars, the houses, and the students. I enjoy it because sports are very popular here, and almost everything is cheaper."

HHS was very fortunate to have had exceptional and talented foreign exchange students. All of us in the HHS community experienced a taste of culture.

1988 Hall of Fame 1989

Laura Bagenstos
Home Economics

Georgia Richardson
Photography III

Bill Bates
Chorus

Joe Konsler
Art II

Ramonda Milner
Accounting I

Amy Sydell
Biology

Allison Kissling
French I

Todd King
Drafting

April Williams
Journalism I

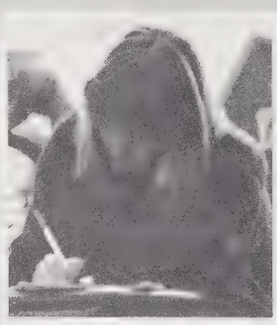
Ashley Norris
Sports Medicine

Eli Jones
Drafting

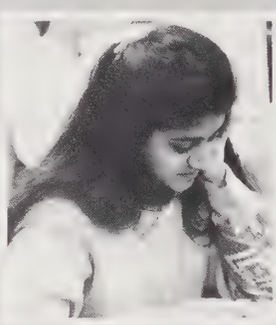
Matt Davis
Art III

Nancy Barnett
Russian History

Noelle McKay
U.S. History, Biology



Melissa Saltz
Intro. to Business



Bina Desai
French III
Russian History

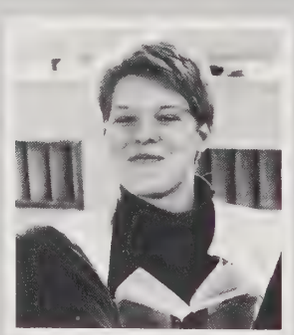
Natalia Desai
Spanish II

Michelle Gosset
Freshman P.E.

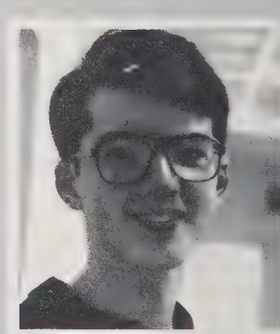
Dade VanDerWerf
World History, English,
Physics

Drew Adams
Calculus, Theater Arts,
Physics

Jennifer Dennis
Russian History, Physics

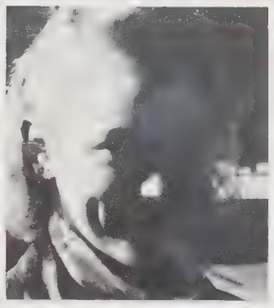


Webb Garrison
Psychology, Theater Arts,
Typing



Julian Collier
Geometry, Physical Scien
Intro. to Computers

Krug
ed P.E.



Lydia Keifer
Algebra I

Heather Bell
Intro. to Computers

Allison
graphy I

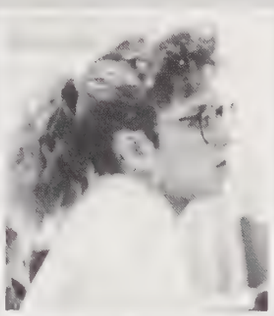
Mike Steepy
Computer Science II

Mike McMurtry
Intro. to Business

Kelly Bell
Latin I

Fran Piscitelli
Sports Medicine

Brook King
Freshman P.E.

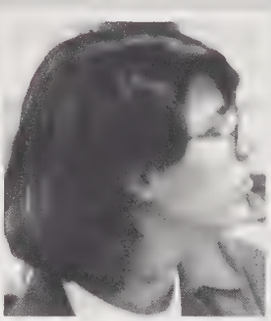


Beth Ridings
French II

Wayne Copolillo
Auto I

Amy Shipman
French I

Kelly Noegel
Analysis



Bill Platz
Art IV

David Buza
Chemistry

Jonathan Halper
U.S. History, Biology

Ryan Kudva
Calculus, Government
Physics

Judith Kirkman
Government, Chemistry

Glenn Perkins
English, Russian History

Emily Waters
French IV, Spanish I,
Russian History

Tommy McLean
Trigonometry, Advanced
Biology

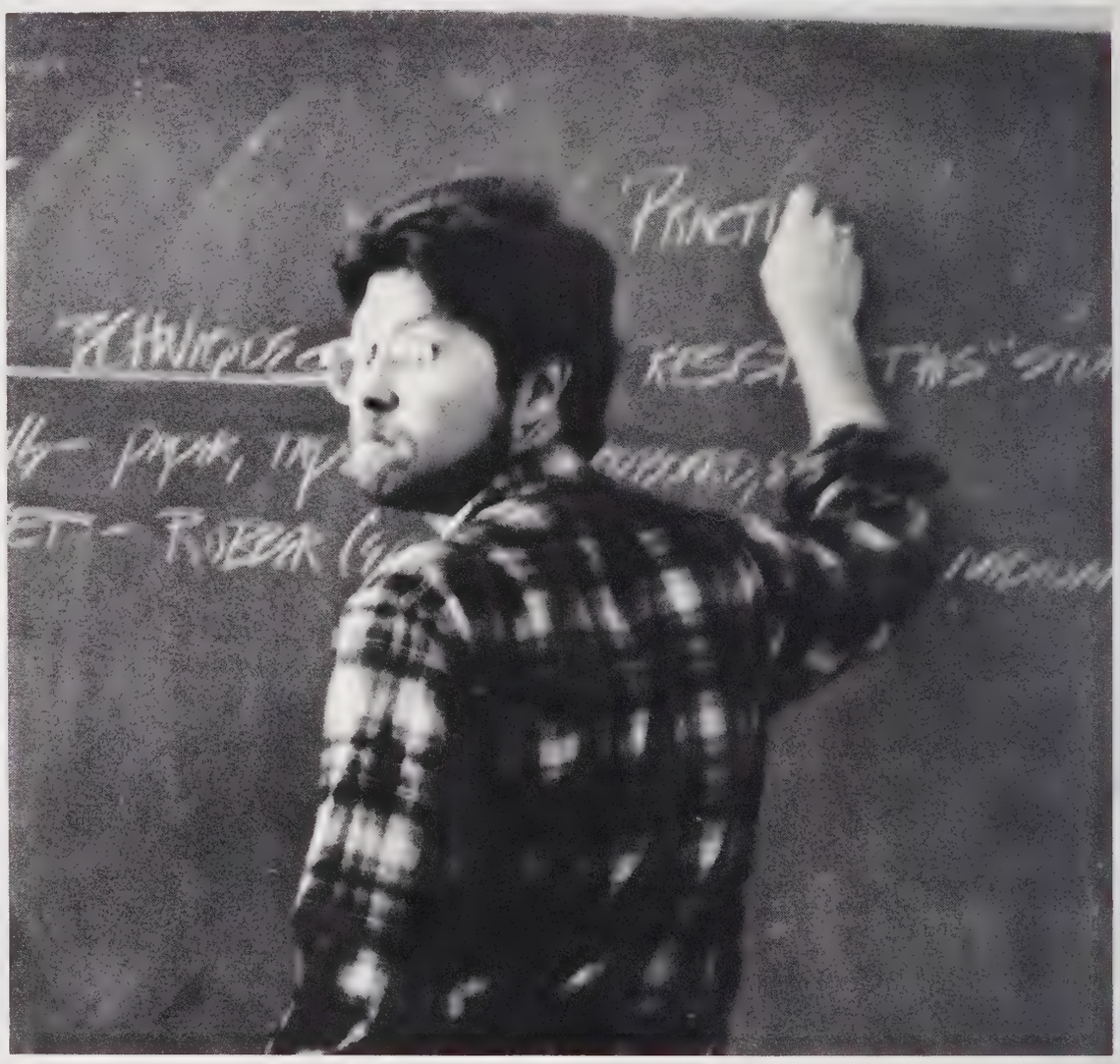
MASTER OF HIS ART

HHS is truly fortunate to have a teacher like **Mark Phillips** spreading his knowledge to his students. The Michigan native, raised in East Lansing, received his B.A. in communication arts and B.F.A. in art education from Michigan State University. After moving to Hendersonville in 1977 and trying various jobs, he finally settled at HHS, where he has taught for four years.

"I enjoy being able to help, direct, and watch students grow both emotionally and creatively," he said, in response to what he enjoyed about teaching. "It's also really great to watch a student's art work develop and mature and have that student be motivated enough to pursue a career in art—a very difficult career."

Mr. Phillips has definitely left a mark on every student that has had the pleasure of working with him. He has not only helped his students to comprehend art, but also to take the ideas of creativity with them to succeed in life.

A student's creative work captures the eye of HHS's favorite art teacher.



Mr. Phillips, usually in a friendly disposition, is serious when it comes to his artwork.

Mr. Phillips peers around as he senses a "hall person" entering the room.

WHO'S WHO

Each year, a select group of students is given recognition in the "Who's Who at HHS." The criteria for this honor are past achievements, school and community service, and maximum use of their skills. Nomination also depends on achievements in school life in one or more of the following areas — the arts, academics, and athletics. This year, seventeen members of the Class of 1989 were named to Who's Who. Each of the members was first nominated by a faculty committee and then voted on by each teacher. The following seniors joined the ranks of the alumni of Who's Who; Bill Bates, Susan Brittain, Bill Hodge, Drew Adams, Emily Waters, Paula Stewart, Kelly Noegel, Bill Platz, Felicia Orr, Dade VanDerWerf, Greg Philipp, Webb Garrison, Rick Stepp, Tara McMinn, Jennifer Dennis, Glenn Perkins, and Georgia Richardson.

Felicia Orr finds some humor in the can drive, while Matt Berry takes a more serious approach.

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Organizations

Instrumental Devotion

With the addition of **Miss Fran Shelton** to the marching band, the HHS band had an unbelievable marching season. Their long hours of hard work really paid off as the band took honors at each of the three competitions they attended.

Enka Marching Festival was successfully completed as the band took a superior rating and first place in the flag corps and drum major category. "We all came together that day. We worked as a group, and it was a great feeling to be a part of it," said **Caryn Clark.**

Then it was on to Swain County Competition where the band obtained an excellent rating and won second place in the categories of percussion, drum major, and flag corps. As the band ended their very successful season, they traveled to Cary, North Carolina, for a state marching competition. The band placed fourth overall, and the flag corps also placed fourth. The 1988 marching season was a great accomplishment.

The HHS symphonic band performed masterfully at the Exchange Concert in October and at the Fine Arts Night in December, as well as in several concerts for the school. Clarinetist **Ramonda Milner** remarked, "I think symphonic band is great. It gives me a chance to express my feelings through music."

The Jazz Band performed several times at service functions and in concerts regarding the school. Lead singer **Judith Kirkman** commented, "I really enjoy singing in jazz band. It is a great opportunity to sing and play that type of music." The upcoming year promises to be a success for all three bands, as Miss Shelton's excellent leadership continues.

Marching and Symphonic Band: Judith Kirkman, Matt Davis, Jeremy Hoots, Agustin Frederic, Deborah Newkirk, Jennifer Sims, Darcy Jones, Teesha Holladay, Christine Owens, Allison Kissling, Jake Brezillac, Julia Perkins, Mike Masters, Eric Swindell, Marcus Copolillo, Lydia Kiefer, Jenni Klein, Eric Havard, Kristin Hadley, Sophia Allison, Heather Bell, Eli Jones, Kathy Lanning, Jennifer Cox, Shannon McNabb, Ryan Johnson, Kathy Stepp, Erin Havard, Dade VanDerWerf, Jonathan Halper, Jessica VanderVeen, Neal Nolan, Ginger Gordon, Monetta Trantham, Todd King, Brian Crisp, Glenn Perkins, Simon Lashford, David Owens, John Nelson, Daniel Griffin, Amy Willis, Terry Paulson, Caryn Clark, Leslie Jones, Stacy Thompson, Tiffani Beddingfield, Rachel Kopp, Kelly Bell, Sok Kheng Cheng

The Jazz Band is a new addition to the HHS band experience. This classic style demands musical ability of a different type.

Fine Arts Night demonstrated the mature technique and excellent playing ability of the HHS Symphonic Band.

In a special moment of happiness, the unique relationship between a drum major and director is felt by all spectators.

Even from the first minute, the band is alert and ready. This show aided the band in getting many honors.

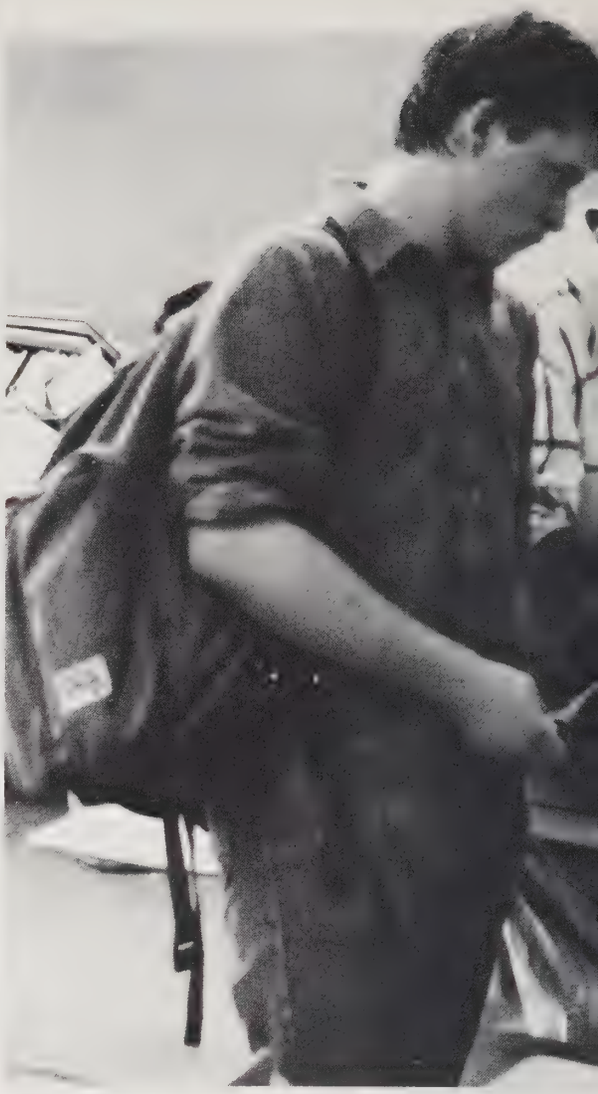
With the first place award at Enka, these exhausted but thrilled girls took their first step in the flag corps' "tradition."

Literally Inclined

One possesses a great talent when he/she is able to write expressively. The Literary club and **Red and White** encouraged such individuals with emphasis on sharing their work with their peers.

The Literary club allowed students to create and share their literary works. Throughout the year they conducted seminars, workshops, and meetings to involve other people with our students and their writing. As **Sylvia Baker** said, "Literary club is an opportunity to share your talent with similar individuals." The club also published their year's best works in **Socko** magazine, which won many honors.

The **Red and White** newspaper was a monthly publication of events, objects, and opinions that affected our school, the students, and the community. They also featured students and teachers each month in order to familiarize the students with some of its interesting people. "**Red and White** rules. Any other journalism class is just a class," commented art editor **David Reeves.**



Tom McLean is a hard working writer on the Red and White staff. He never hesitates to help.

Editor-in-Chief April Williams combines creativity and efficiency to produce a monthly paper.

Mrs. Russell is the sponsor of the Literary club and also of the Red and White. Her abilities guide many students.

The photography of any newspaper is a difficult job to do well. Brent Jones looks hard at work as he makes a list for pictures.

Literary Club Members: Sophia Allison, Nancy Barnett, Heather Bell, Brian Crisp, Matt Davis, Jennifer Dennis, Lydia Dominy, Jenni Klein, Greg Garrison, Webb Garrison, Teesha Holladay, Melissa Igoe, Heather Neeld, Bill Platz, Glenn Perkins, Dade VanDerWerf, Dave Reeves, Georgia Richardson, Catea Rubenstein, Holly Schuler, Dana Terebelski, Bert VanderVeen, Jessica VanderVeen, Emily Waters.

Red and White Staff: April Williams, Bert VanderVeen, Peter Volk, Richard Davis, Susan Brittain, Sylvia Baker, David Reeves, Tim Gore, Robert Schmid, Brent Jones, Tommy McLean, Dana Terebelski, Elizabeth Luntsford, Heather Loveland, Jenni Klein, Alice Peschl, Beverly Russell — Advisor.

Sylva Baker is an important member of the Red and White and the Literary club. Her involvement commands organization.

Food always helps to stimulate the mind. These literary club members enjoy a snack during a club meeting.

Future Leaders

at Hendersonville High School actively involve themselves in community service and in projects to further leadership abilities. The Fellowship of Christian athletes has monthly meetings and have given time and energy to surrounding church organizations. During Christmas, they joined the Asheville Baptist Association to provide food and clothing for needy families.

President **Gil Brown** stated, "The FCA is not just a club for athletes. It's a club for all to come out, have fun, and associate in making friends . . . "

The Future Homemakers of America completed another successful year under the leadership of **Miss Gibson.** They contributed to the school through projects and attended several workshops during the year.

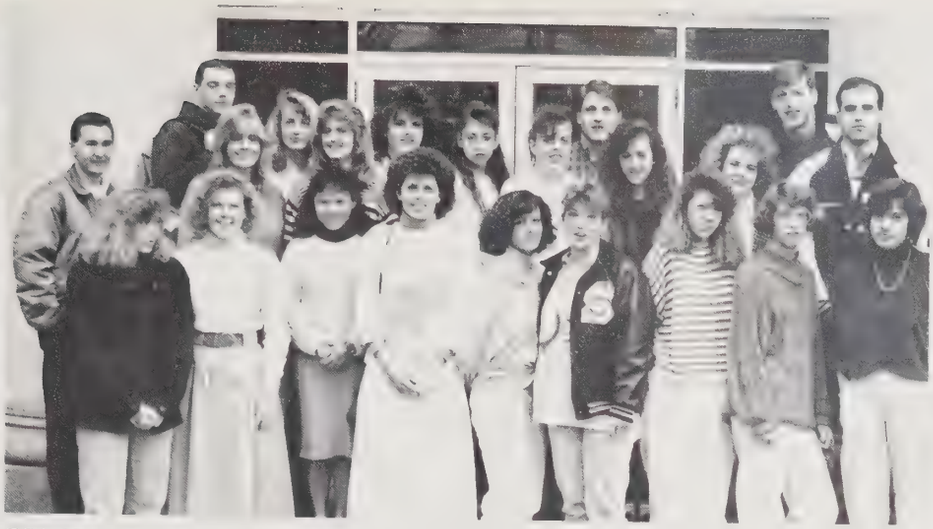
"FHA helps develop skills in home economics," commented member **Dawn Stenson.**

The Future Business Leaders of America is mainly a service club which attempts to gain knowledge of business and the people involved in it. New member **Heather Bell** remarked, "I enjoy being in FBLA because it serves the community, and it gives me a sense of belonging."

They attended a convention in October and also presented a dance for the senior citizens of the community on Valentine's Day. Other projects were planned to benefit people in the surrounding area.

Long-time sponsor, Mr. Murray supervies games, discussions, and other events for the FCA. His patience and easy-going attitude provide a positive atmosphere.

FHA members: Dawn Stenson, Jennifer Yost, Heather Markel, Kelly King, Laura Parker, Deini Summer, Natasha Dunn, Tami DalBo, Tippi Robinson, Myra Mize



FCA Members: Erik Forsgren, Sarita Loveland, Brad Steinbeck, Heather Loveland, Leigh Gullyes, Jenny Klein, Lydia Dominy, Kathleen Ausley, Mike Freeman, Chuck Roberts, Holly Shuler, Gil Brown, Amy Baldwin, Summer Mackel, Theresa McCoy, Sok Kheng Cheng, Alice Peschl, Stephanie Brendell, Robyn Graham, Heather Brown, Lacey Picard

Some of the best club memories are ones of house meetings. Holly Shuler's house provides a fantastic place full of fun for the FCA.

FBLA Officers: Susan Johnson—President; Brent Jones (not pictured)—Vice-President; Ramonda Milner—Secretary; Theresa Freeman—Treasurer

FBLA Members: Mary Battista, Heather Bell, Sean Boswell, Stephen Bowman, Emery Boyd, Tami Dalbo, Wendy Dennis, Marianne DeLaCruz, Jessica Dickinson, Emily Dunn, Mike Freeman, Teresa Freeman, Richard Glover, Robyn Graham, Wike Graham, Brian Hawkins, Leigh Hollis, Wimberly Hubert, Jenna Igoe, Suzanne Igoe, Susan Johnson, Brent Jones, Gregg Killian, Kyle Killian, Joy Leider, Steve Lewis, Elizabeth Luntsford, Ramonda Milner, Christine Owens, Lacey Picard, Melissa Saltz, Mike Sinclair, David Wierzbiki, April Williams

Service

The Key Club and Keywanettes worked diligently for the school and community during the 1988-'89 school year. Aside working concession stands at football and basketball games, the two clubs helped the TMH kids with their annual Halloween assembly.

The Key Club is affiliated with the Kiwanis Club of Hendersonville and has provided service for many functions, including the Kiwanis Travel Log. As president **Webb Garrison** stated, "It's my duty as a human being to help those that I can." Other projects included Mardi Gras at Immaculata and the Special Olympics.

The Keywanettes of HHS are a women's service organization which worked toward helping the community. They also assisted with the TMH Halloween party. Their annual fashion show donated funds to the Kristen Shetterly Scholarship Foundation. "Keywanettes has given me a chance to work with people in our community and school. Through holding offices not only have I learned responsibility, but I have also learned the great amount of energy and work a dedicated club generates to the surrounding community and school," stated president **Paula Stewart**. Additional service included the Special Olympics and the Keywanette Convention.

Keywanette Members: Julie Andrus, Sylvia Baker, Kelli Benton, Susan Brittain, Stephanie Bryan, Monica Cleary, Heather Davis, Emily Dunn, Tina Edgerton, Kyla Eggen, Teresa Freeman, Deanna Gibbs, Affie Hackler, Kimberly Henderson, Melissa Igoe, Jessica Laughter, Elizabeth Luntsford, Tara McMinn, Charlyne McCall, Shannon McNabb, Kelly Noegel, Susan Novak, Carolyn Owens, Dottie Owensby, Felicia Orr, Georgia Richardson, Tippi Robinson, Kristie Ross, Dawn Stenson, Paula Stewart, Kim Swanner, Amy Sydell, Dana Terebelski, Jennie Thomas, Laura Thomas, Laura Todd.

Deanna Gibbs and Emily Dunn, friends brought closer by the Keywanettes, share the shock of an unexpected assignment.

Key Club members: Ryan Kudva, Webb Garrison, Tom McLean, Gregg Killian, Wike Graham, Kyle Graham, Jim Perry, Zane Honnold, Greg Philipp, Ronnie Wagner, Bert VanderVeen, Bill Bates, Mike Hudson, Rick Stepp, Todd King.

Wike Graham and Gregg Killian are rookies in the Key Club. By blowing up balloons, they aid in the TMH Halloween Party, a major Key Club Project.

Kelli Benton's tendency to care for others has helped her club. She brings happiness to a child at the TMH Halloween party.

Active Bonds

Distributive Educational Clubs of America is dedicated to advanced learning of business in present society. Member **Olga Gonzalez** remarked, "DECA helps me with my business management major and learn more about marketing."

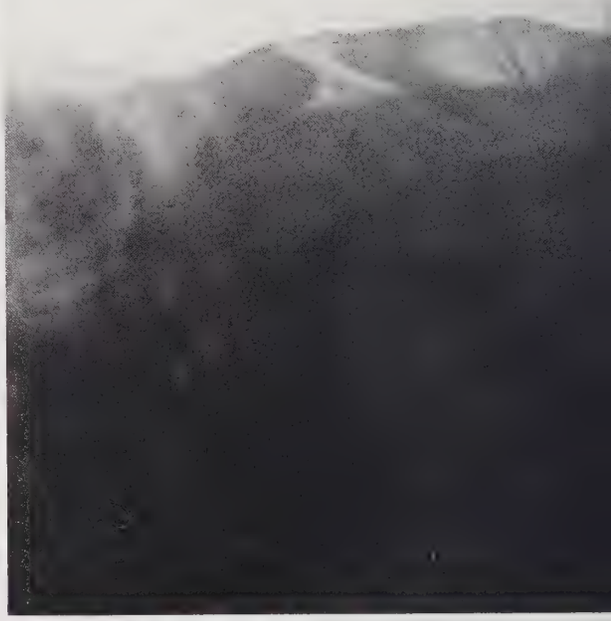
The Ski Club at HHS is an active winter team, with meets on Wednesdays. The small amount of snow that we get led **Elliott Lewis** to comment, "Ski Club provides you with the opportunity to ski in the mud, rocks, grass, and gravel once a year, and wish you were somewhere else."

The Outing Club is very active in wilderness and camping skills. The club takes many trips, to explore surrounding areas. In December, they spent the night in the Pisgah Forest and planned a trip to the Outer Banks during Spring Break.

The mountains create an excellent atmosphere for any Outing club trip. A view from Pisgah forest shows how exciting an overnight can be.

Ski Club Members: Kelly Summerrow, Erich Then, Luke Hunter, Jay Egolf, David Haffner, Tommy Guthke, Vince Wilson, Will Dewey, Elliot Lewis, Mrk Steirwalt, Sean Boswell; sponsor: Ann Gibson

Outing Club Members: Elliot Lewis, John Byrd, Jake Brezillac, Kelly Orr, Eli Jones, Scott Burnette, Ed Morris, Matthew Ray, Ty Chambers, Mike Hudson, Trade Elkins, Leigh Gullyes; sponsor: David Malpass

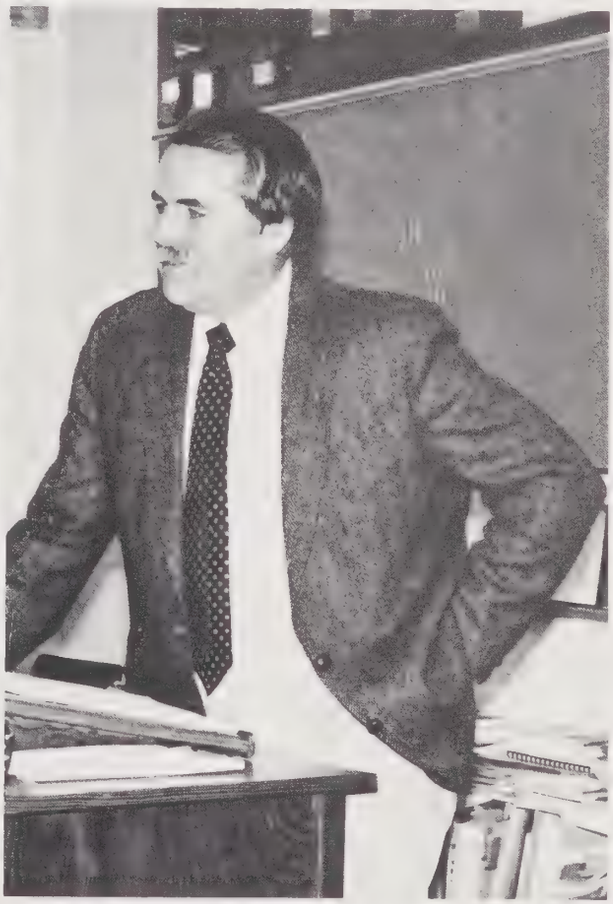


Scott Burnette is an important member of the DECA club. His business skills are used by many students, such as Andy Rohrbaugh.

Tommy Guthke understands the cruciality of proper loading as he fastens this equipment. At this, the team's first meet, everything had to be perfect.

Tom Murray exhibits his camping skills while showing member Elliot Lewis how to pitch a tent. These tents kept campers warm during a night of forty degree weather.

As annual sponsor of the DECA club, Mr. Brackett spends much of his time with our school store. He demonstrates his patience as he helps several students.



DECA Members: Mario Graham, Melissa Saltz, Erich Then, Scott Burnette, Bennett French; sponsor: Ted Brackett.

Student Involvement

CHARACTER, LEADERSHIP, ACADEMICS, and SERVICE are the four main ideals of the Honor Society. The requirement of a 3.4 grade point average is only one of the difficult stipulations of membership. This service society commits itself to setting an excellent example for the students of HHS. **Tara McMinn** said, "To be a member of the National Honor Society is a privilege, an honor."

The Student Council of HHS was organized to get the students involved in student government projects and to represent the school's student body. After attending the Student Council convention in November, **Heather Loveland** commented, "We learned all sorts of stuff to help improve our council." Many of their projects, such as assemblies, and dances, worked toward helping the student body have a better year. Other projects included the Special Olympics and Spirit Week.

Honor Society Members: Drew Adams, Boo Allison, Matt Berry, Susan Freeman, Webb Garrison — President; Ginger Gordon, Tim Gore, Leigh McMinn, Kelly Noegel, Felicia Orr, Carolyn Owens, Glenn Perkins, Greg Williams, Tiffani Beddingfield, Kelly Bell, Monica Cleary, Kyla Eggen, Tommy McLean, Jim Perry, Melissa Saltz, Rick Stepp, Dana Terebelski.

Student Council Members: Greg Philipp, Kathleen Ausley, Heather Loveland, Jessica Laughter, Felicia Orr, Brian Crisp, Tami Dalbo, Summer Mackel, Kim Henderson, Paula Stewart, Ronnie Wagner, April Williams, Monica Cleary, Kyla Eggen, Zane Honnold, Melissa Huntley, Tom McLean, Melissa Saltz, Kelli Benton, Kyle Graham, Kristin Hadley, Jonathan Halper, Kris Mucci, Laura Todd, Kristie Ross, Anthony Davis, Joy Leider, Julia Perkins, Missy Roark, Julian Collier, Kelly Bell, Judith Kirkman, Heather Bell, Tiffany Boyce, Robert Schmid, Wimberly Hubert, Bert VanderVeen, Jim Perry, Amy Sydell, Kim Pardue.

Brittain, Brian Crisp, Jennifer Dennis, Bina Desai, Tina Edgerton, Teresa Gullyes, Melissa Igoe, Dan Krug, Kathy Lanning, Stephen Mace, Tara Philipp, Bill Platz, Paula Stewart, Dade VanDerWerf, Emily Waters, April Pierrette Harshaw, Judith Kirkman, Allison Kissling, Ryan Kudva, Jennifer Thomas.

Honor Society Officers: Webb Garrison, Melissa Igoe, Jennifer Dennis, and Matt Berry.

President Greg Philipp has led the student council to a higher level of excellence. He'll be a hard act to follow.

These boots were made for crushing, or at least that's what the National Honor Society thinks.

The Student Council's very successful year is somewhat attributed to the hard work of these officers and sponsor, Ms. Edwards.

With the superior participation received in the first can drive, one thousand pounds of cans were delivered to Pepsi.

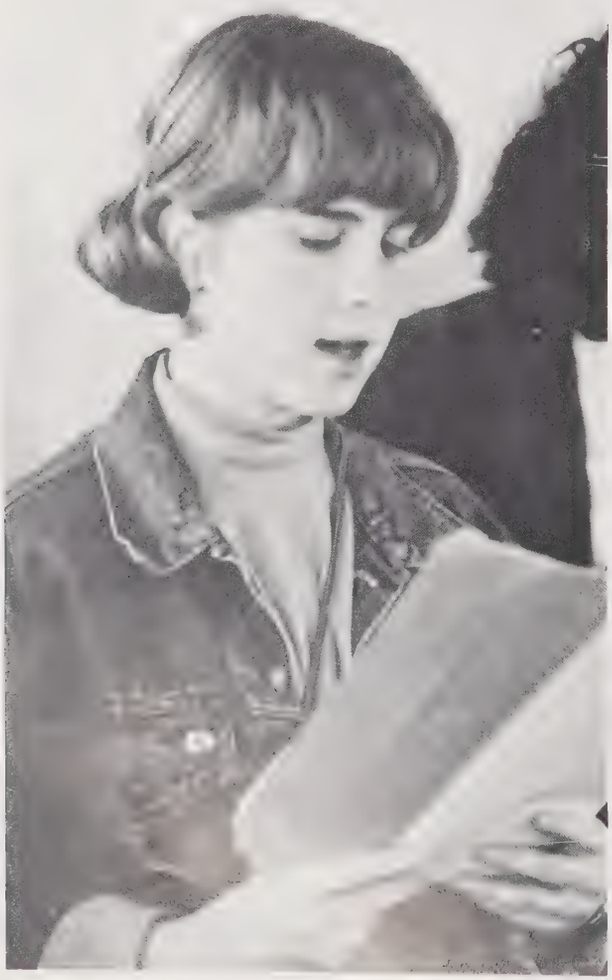
Speaking In *Tongues*

The French, Spanish, and Latin clubs have widely participated in projects such as the annual soccer game and Christmas caroling.

Each club also had cultural functions during the year to further the understanding of that country and its language. **Amy Sydell** commented as one of the Latin club slaves, "It is neat to learn about festivities and customs of the ancient Romans."

It is clear that the language clubs here at HHS not only benefit one with knowledge of another country but also aid in gaining empathy toward the people of that nation and toward the rest of the world.

In the Desai family, French is becoming a tradition. Bina and her younger sister Damini share a pizza and a very stimulating conversation.



Emily Waters is one of the few who dares to take French for four years. Here she demonstrates her ability as President of the French Club to lead the group in song.

French Club: Emily Waters — President; Carolyn Owens — Vice President; Secretary — Elizabeth Lunsford; Treasurer — Paula Stewart, Allison Parrish, Bina Desai, Melissa Saltz, Rebecca Haskins, Dade VanDerWerf, Pierette Harshaw, Amy Sydell, Matt McKibbin, Jeff Shetterly, Melissa Kellen, Maryirene Douglas, Diane Barilari, Fran Piscitelli, Elizabeth Thomas, Cathy Philipp, Geoff Kirk, Elizabeth Todd, Julie Webb, Marianne de la Cruz, Catherine Perry, Andrew Johnes, Christine Owens, Allison Kissling, Suzanne Igoe, Jodi Williams, Noelle McKay, Bert VanderVeen, Kimberly Pardue, Jessica Rogers, Melanie Pitillo, Christy Tucker, Cathy de la Cruz, Julie Roy, Chris Hysong, David Owens, Missy Roark, Paul Goebel, Janine Igoe, Jennifer Denis, Heather Brown, Tiffany Boyce, Kevin Brookshire, Amy Willis, Lydia Dominy, Heather Loveland, Eli Jones, Matt Ray

Kimberly Pardue is new to the HHS culture experience. She exhibits great freshman enthusiasm as she carols in the high school.

Latin Club: Virginia Atkins, Tiffani Beddingfield, Kelly Bell, Stephanie Brendell, Scott Daly, Jennifer Dennis, Greg Garrison, Webb Garrison, Daniel Griffin, Heather Gullyes, Erin Havard, Lindon Hayes, Judith Kirkman, Allison Kissling, Ryan Kudva, Kathy Lanning, Simon Lashford, Tommy McLean, Julia Perkins, Fran Piscitelli, Carl Stoneham, Amy Sydell, Teesha Holladay

Spanish Club: Bina Desai, Susan Barajas, Melissa Huntley, Holly Schuler, Georgia Richardson, Tim Gore, Wike Graham, Zane Honnold, Jim Perry, Drew Adams, Chuck Roberts, Matt Berry, Ronnie Wagner, Teresa Freeman, Kim Henderson, Jenny Egolf, Ryan Johnson, Ed Morris, Matt Johnes, John Buza, Robert Schmid, Damini Desai, Danny Butz, Les Boyd, Kristie Hensley

The Spanish club sponsor Mrs. Rutter takes her carolers to a community rest home to sing.

On Stage Performance

The HHS chorus is an excellent reminder of our standard of excellence. They went to competition in November and took many honors. They also performed in several school assemblies as well as at the Fine Arts Night in December.

Several students were chosen to perform with students of surrounding schools in the Mars Hill Chorus. This great honor led **Allison Kissling** to comment, "Chorus is the opportunity to express oneself through music. It is an incredible honor to be chosen for Mars Hill, and it will be a great experience." The 1988-89 school year was a successful one.

The Thespian Troupe 851 participated in the Mars Hill Thespian Competition in November, where they received actor, director, and stage awards for their productions "This Side of Byzantium" and "Comings and Goings."

After their performance of these plays in December, the thespians aspired toward other productions. As thespian member **Susan Brittain** stated, "Drama gives you the ability to express yourself without any inhibitions while also teaching you discipline." Our troupe was asked to perform at the North Carolina Thespian Conference in April as well as on Mainstage in Muncie, Indiana.

As long time members of the Thespian Society, Drew Adams and Dave Reeves exemplify the term "in character."

Thespian Officers: Drew Adams, Webb Garrison, Catea Rubenstein, Susan Brittain, and Dana Terebelski (not pictured).

The HHS Chorus presents the audience with not only sight but sound as well in their production of "America."

Chorus Members: Fran Anderson, Bill Bates, Julie Andrus, Kevin Brookshire, Kathleen Ausley, Bobby Bryson, Kelli Benton, Brian Crisp, Nora Bryan, C.J. Chipley, Stacey Carter, Matt Davis, Heather Davis, Jeff Gallagher, Lydia Dominy, Bill Hodge, Robin Dygert, Bo Johnson, Kyla Eggen, Ryan Johnson, Tina Edgerton, Jeff Kirk, Ashley Featherstone, Stephen Mace, Affie Hackler, Neal Nolan, Susan Johnson, Dan Painter, Allison Kissling, Brad Parson, Sok Kheng Cheng, Nathan Pearce, Sarita Loveland, Randy Rollins, Rachel McGinnis, Andy Rohrbaugh, Shannon McNabb, Baron Rhew, Summer Mackel, Chuck Roberts, Rachel Michaelove, Ivan Shipman, Heather Orr, Ben Tweed, Kristie Ross, Catea Rubenstein, Jennifer Sims, Holly Schuler, Laura Thomas, Stacy Thompson, Laura Todd, Amy Williams, Amy Willis, Renee Dirkse

Acting is reacting. In "This Side of Byzantium," Brian Crisp reacts to each situation with his performance as three characters.

Allison Kissling and Matt Davis are multi-talented artists; their acting, singing, and musical abilities have truly added to the arts at HHS.

The voice of Kathleen Ausley echoes through the auditorium during one of her many solos. She is the leader of the soprano section.

Thespian Society Members: Susan Brittain, Stephen Mace, Bert VanderVeen, Allison Parrish, Virginia Atkins, Mary Anderson, Susan Johnson, Brian Crisp, Allison Kissling, Tippi Robinson, Angy Corbin, Dana Terebelski, Drew Adams, Dave Reeves, Webb Garrison, Kelly Bell, Catea Rubenstein, Caryn Clark, Summer Mackel, Sylvia Baker

Dedication:

In the spring of 1954, the Hendersonville City School System gained a true asset who would serve it for the next thirty-five years—**Mrs. Hannah L. Edwards.**

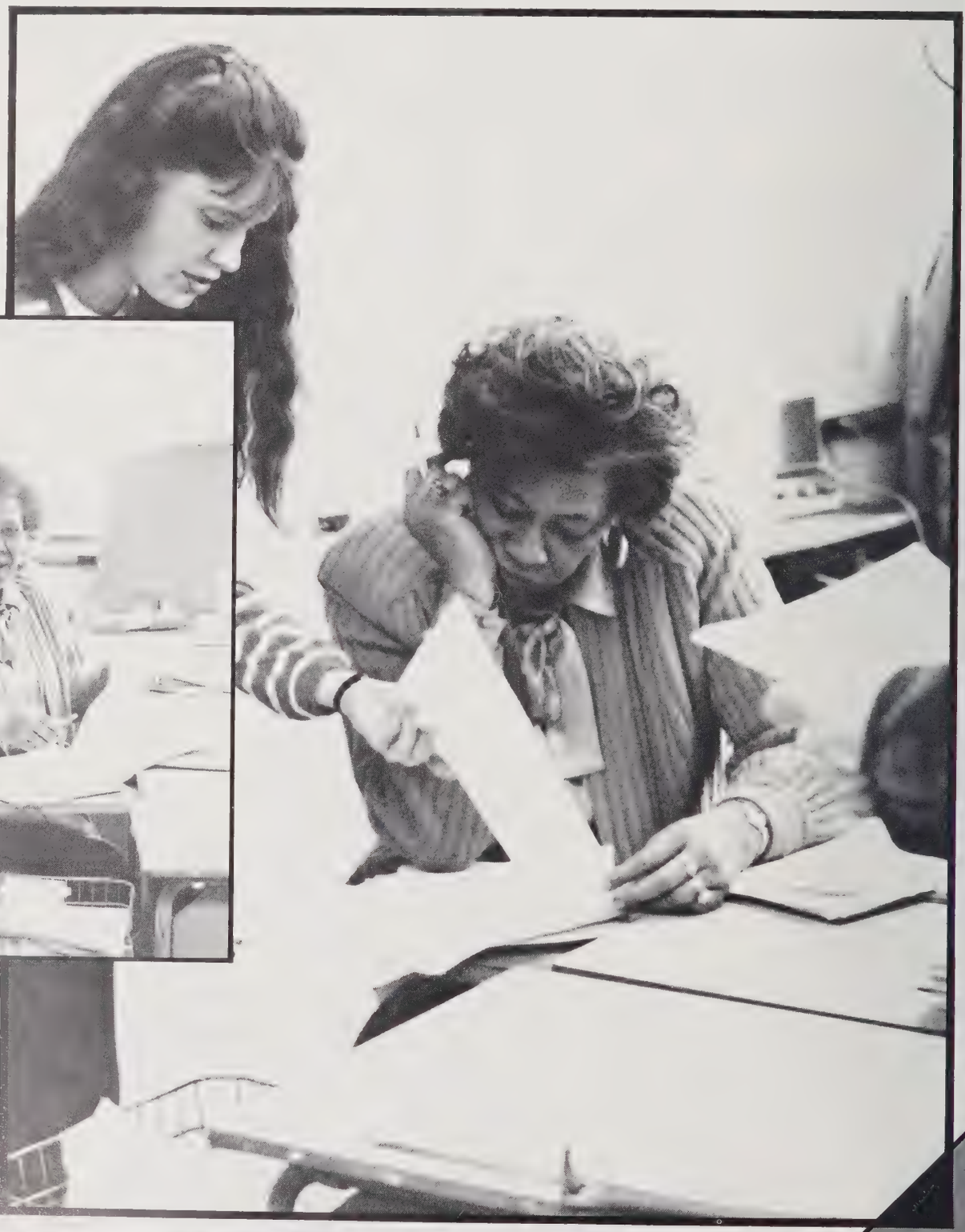
Mrs. Edwards faithfully fulfilled and surpassed her duty as an educator. She tried to bring the best out in each of her students, and not just in the subject of typing. She taught responsibility, respect, and duty to those in her class.

Mrs. Edwards always cared about her students, on both an academic and personal level. She was always willing to discuss meaningful topics, ranging from school-related subjects to her philosophies about mankind, with those interested. She often disclosed to them bits of wisdom helpful in their growth and maturation.

Not only did Mrs. Edwards serve as a teacher, she was the advisor of the Student Council for countless years. In this position, she had yet another opportunity to reach out and touch others' lives. She became a vital part of the democratic process at HHS. At one time, she also served as one of the school secretaries.

After her thirty-five years of service, wisdom, and care, few are more deserving. The 1988-89 Laureate is dedicated to **Mrs. Hannah L. Edwards.**

Mrs. Hannah Edwards



Miss Laureate:

Character, capability, spirit, competence, dependability—these are the criteria for the selection of **Miss Laureate**. This year **Tara McMinn** was chosen to receive this title for the 1988-89 school year.

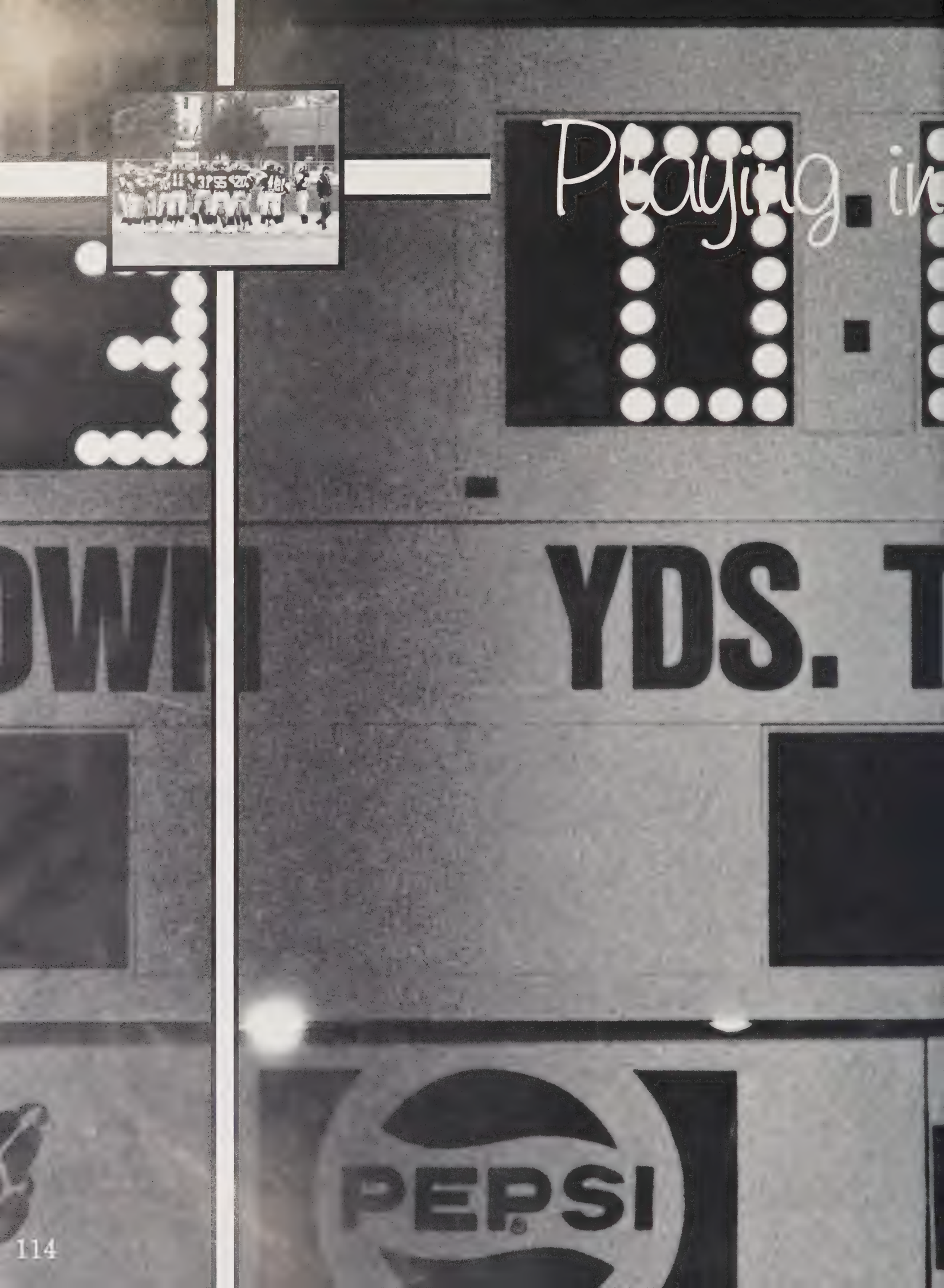
All through high school, Tara's involvement was exceptional. She actively participated in several different athletic teams. Her freshman and sophomore years, she was a member of both the softball and volleyball teams. She was involved in basketball all four of her years at HHS and has played in two All-Conference basketball tournaments.

Although Tara was very busy with athletics, which are very time consuming, she devoted a substantial amount of time to various organizations. She belonged to Keywanettes from her sophomore year through her senior year. She served an active membership in Honor Society and was chosen to serve on the Honor Society's new Policy Board by both the Executive Board and the Advisors of the Honor Society.

Throughout her high school career, Tara exemplified "Bearcat Spirit." She displayed this spirit through her actions toward and involvement in the school as a whole. She gained the respect of her classmates through her strict convictions, as well as her understanding nature.

Tara McMinn earned, as much as anyone ever had, the title of **Miss Laureate.**

Tara McMinn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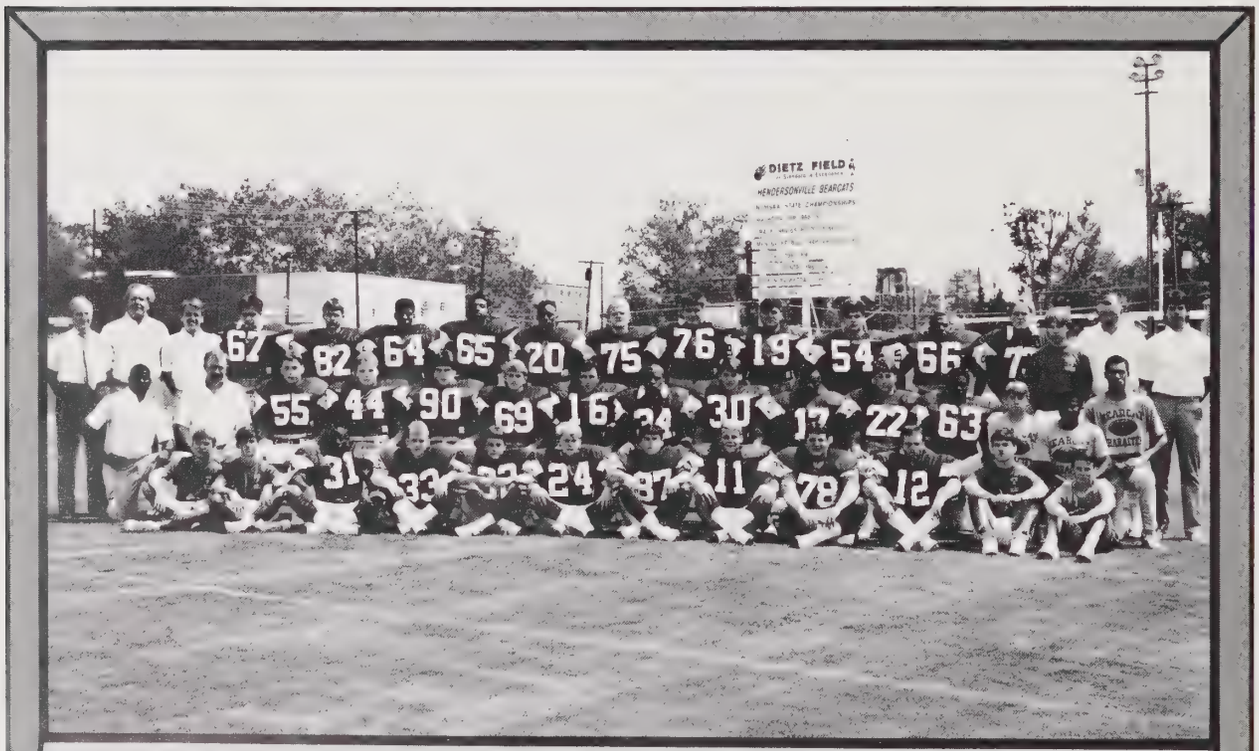
TOTAL PACKAGE

A new era of football was initiated in 1987 as the Bearcats were converted into the passing "Aircats." This year the new style combined with the 'Cats' traditional running style to give them a total package.

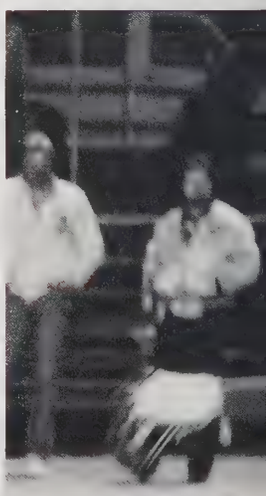
This well-rounded attack turned what people thought a mediocre team into a traditional powerhouse which our school had come to expect. The Bearcats glided through conference play to capture the Appalachian 1-A title for the third time in the four years it had been a member. The 'Cats manhandled its conference foes by outscoring them 183-20, with the closest margin of victory being twenty-one points.

The total package was successful because of an overwhelming dominance at the line of scrimmage. While the running backs and quarterback got all the glory, men like **Bill Hodge, Brent Jones, Mike Waters, Joe Hodge, and Mack Broutin** were dominating their opponents in the trenches. This domination allowed **Mike Freeman** to tear apart defenses with precision passing and allowed **Kelvin Young** and **Elijah Timmons** to gain over two thousand yards combined on the ground. **Freeman** passed for an unheard of nine hundred yards this season.

Defense, a Bearcat tradition which was always evident in Coach Phil Brintnall's game plan also added to the total package. The 'Cats' defense always seemed to come through in the clutch. This defense was extremely dominant in the win over Brevard. This victory marked the first year the Blue Devils had fallen to the Bearcats since 1980. The 'Cats defense



Top Row: **Dr. Lampley, Coach Williams, Doc Durham, Bill Hodge, Alan Cornwell, Michael Gash, John Gash, Kelvin Young, Brent Jones, Joe Hodge, Jeff Shipman, Mack Broutin, Mike Waters, Ben Tweed, Pete Volk, Coach Carter, Coach Gerald** — Second Row: **Coach Haynes, Coach Brintnall, Lane Heffner, Fred Dermid, Chris Goodson, Brian Capps, Tim Gore, Michael Boyd, Randy Rollins, Elijah Timmons, Chris Mucci, Alvert Mills, Mike Triggs, Terry Jamison, Robert Mazzeo** — Bottom Row: **Jamey Thorndike, Matt Ray, Chris Jones, Wike Graham, Hal Jackson, Jason Bullman, Erich Then, Chip Gilbert, Hal Harvey, Mike Freeman, Brian White, Chris Edney.**



Elijah Timmons cuts back to avoid a defender as he carries the ball upfield to give the 'Cats good field position.

Kelvin Young and Coach Johnny Haynes discuss a plan of attack for the night's game.

Kicking is normally a difficult task in high school football but with Alan Cornwell kicking for the 'Cats, the team can count on extra points and field goals.

Total Package

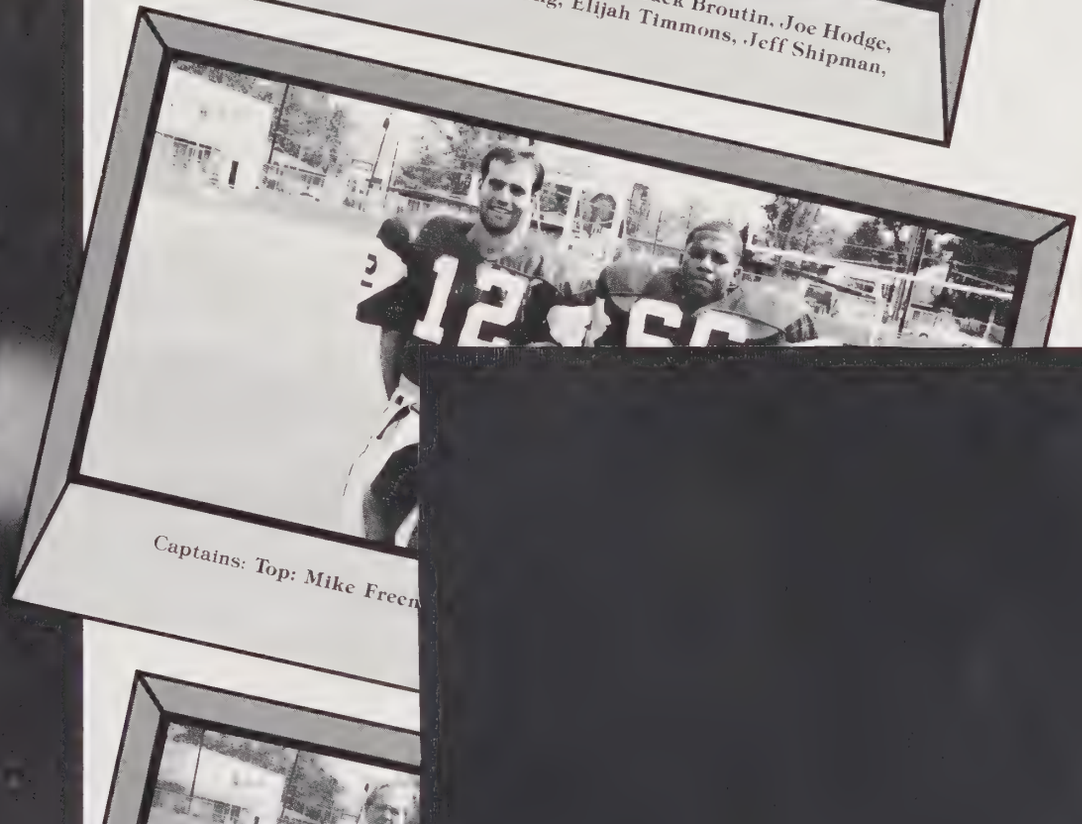
was relentless as they terminated Brevard's explosive running attack. The defense only gave up sixty yards on the ground. Senior captain **Bill Hodge**, who led the team in tackles, said about the team's defense, "We lacked some size, but we made up for it by working hard in the weight room, at practice and sticking together as a team."

Because the 1988 Bearcat football team gave true meaning to everything Hendersonville High stands for — tradition, spirit, excellence, and pride — it was obvious that they were standing in the reign.

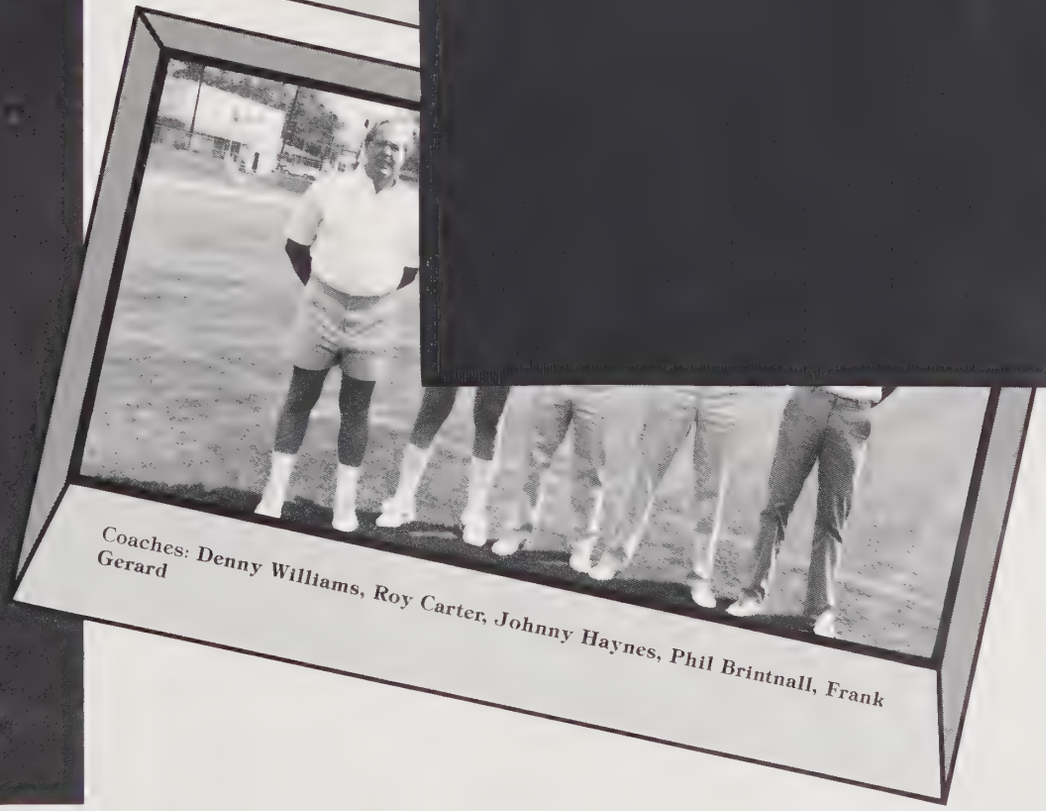
Mike Freeman listens carefully as he receives instructions from Coach Brintnall for the next play.

Sophomore Chip Gilbert eyes the field while returning an interception as the 'Cats rack up another conference victory.

Returning Lettermen: Top: John Gash, Mike Waters, Mack Broutin, Joe Hodge, Chris Goodson — Bottom Row: Kelvin Young, Elijah Timmons, Jeff Shipman, Bill Hodge, Tim Gore



Captains: Top: Mike Freem



Coaches: Denny Williams, Roy Carter, Johnny Haynes, Phil Brintnall, Frank Gerard

A Swift Kick On

The Grass

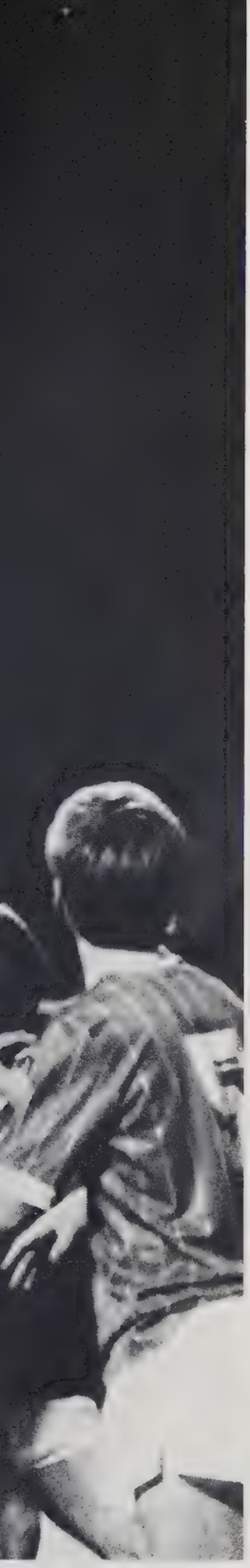
In the beginning, a win for the Bearcat soccer team was a rarity. But the days of a struggling Hendersonville soccer team had blown away long ago. This year's team finished with a record of 13-6-1 and two games away from clinching the state championship. After gliding through the first playoff game led by seniors **Dan Krug** and **Kim Thompsen**, the Cats rallied to win game two behind defensive stars **Jay Egolf, Stephen Mace, Greg Philipp** and **Gregg Killian**. The 'Cats' season finally came to an end when Mooresville nipped them 3-2 in the state semifinals. Considering the 'Cats have gone from being a stumbling group of misfits in 1986 to a championship caliber team, it is safe to say the Bearcat soccer team was truly standing in the reign.

Vorn Mel gains control of the ball at midfield as he scopes the field for an open teammate.

Senior Greg "Goob" Philip fights the cold air as he thinks about the game during halftime.

Senior captain Dan Krug battles with Mooresville's goalie during first half action of the state semi-final playoff game.

Senior foreign exchange student Kim Thompsen shows off his Danish moves as he carries the ball down the wing.



Top Row: **Coach Bill Philipp, Kim Thompsen (All-Around MVP), Mike Steepe, Greg Philipp, Dan Krug (Offensive MVP), Greg Killian, Jay Egolf (Defensive MVP), Chuck Roberts, Brannon Duncan, John Byrd** — Bottom Row: **Eric Forsgren, Jim Perry, Vorn Mel, Jeff Shetterly, Kevin Brookshire, Kyle Killian, Matt McKibbon, Ed Morris, David Buza**

Spike!

Mandy McCall and Stephanie Bryan score another point for the 'Cats as they block a spike.

Setting is one of the most important parts of volleyball. Sophomore Cathy Philipp warms up by practicing her set.

Charlene McCall passes the ball to the front row so that the play can be finished with a set and spike.

Running ahead of the pack, Luke Hunter must pace himself in order to stay ahead.

Make A Run For It

In a sport which demands countless hours of training and endless determination, it's normally difficult to have a large group of athletes willing to participate. This year, however, **Coach Brown** was blessed by an unusually large group of athletes. With such a turnout the team ran with extreme success. Bearcat runners went through the entire season without losing to a 1A/2A school. The team also defeated all county rivals and placed in the top twenty-five percent among larger 3A/4A foes. **Luke Hunter** commented, "It was fun to meet all the different runners throughout the season, while at the same time conditioning myself to better my times."

Steve Lewis, striding toward the finish line, helps the team capture the conference title.

Steve Lewis, Elliot Lewis, Coach Brown, Robbie Sentell, Brad Parson, Courtney Hill, Jeff Gallager, Luke Hunter, Preston McCrary

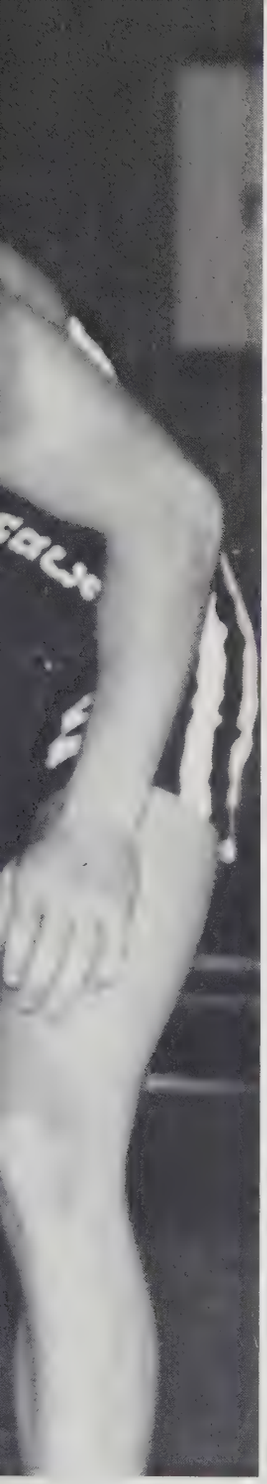
Shoot To Win

Dedication, strength, agility, and skill are the only four components necessary to be a championship wrestler. Attaining these four components is a very long, tedious process. Second year coach **Johnny Haynes** built an extremely young team which dedicated themselves to attain these assets to become champions.

The only senior on the team was captain **Bill Hodge**, who said, "It's a young team that will improve greatly. The team is very talented." These young talented members included captain **Randy Rollins, Teffgre Hill, Joe Hodge, Greg Strickland, Ryan Johnson, Hal Harvey** and **Lane Heffner.** With such young talent that had the drive to carry on the Bearcat tradition, the Bearcat wrestlers were Standing In The Reign.

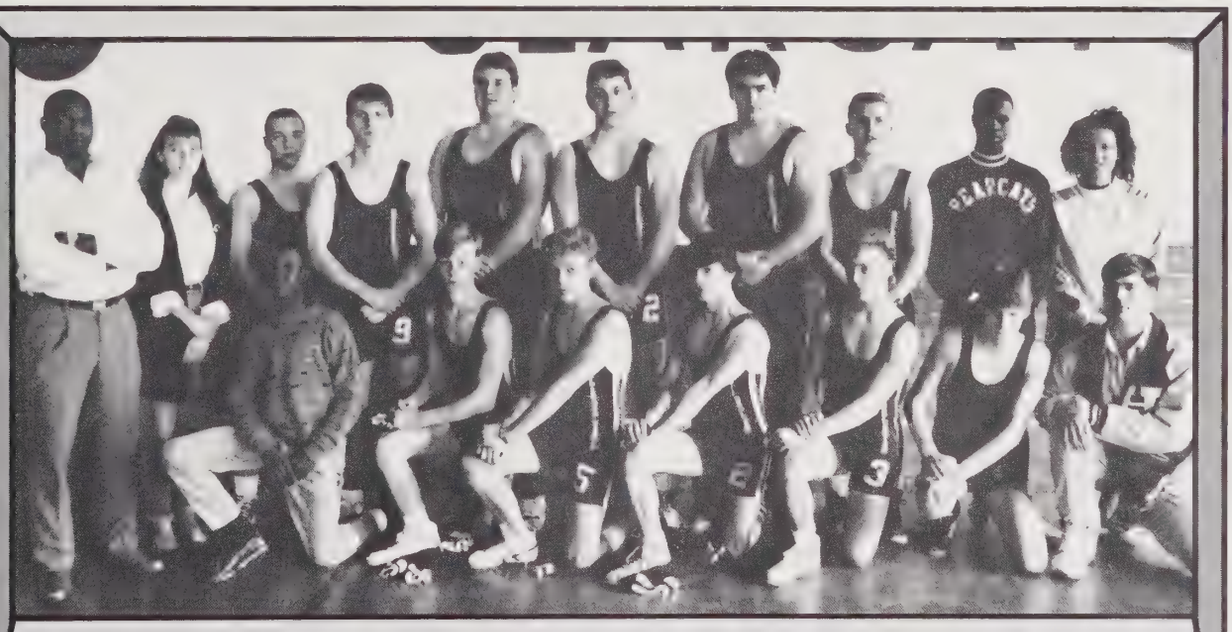
So that he can advise his wrestler between periods, second year coach Johnny Haynes intently looks on during a tournament match.

Junior Brad Steinbeck prepares to turn his opponent over for a pin against East High for another Bearcat victory.



Although Greg Strickland is quite capable of defeating this Edneyville rival with his body, he prefers to take a more strategic, hypnotic approach.

Senior captain Bill "Maverick" Hodge grapples with a cross-county rival from West Henderson before wrapping up another Bearcat victory.



Top Row: Johnny Haynes, Debbie Blackwell, Brad Steinbeck, Randy Rollins, Hal Harvey, Lane Heffner, Joe Hodge, Brook King, Teffgre Hill, Alex Fields; Bottom Row: Andre Whiteside, Ryan Johnson, Sam Samotis, Greg Strickland, Mike Masters, Richie Lampke, Brian White

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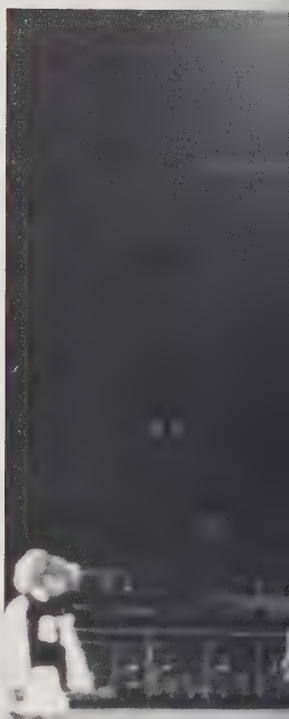


During a break in the action, Leslie Poarch and Melissa Huntley seem to find something amusing with Felicia Orr's hair.

The football cheerleaders show the crowd that Bearcat tradition is still alive as they prepare for the entrance of the football team.

leading

Top Row: **Susan Brittain, DeShannon Bynum,** Middle Row: **Felicia Orr, Caryn Clark, Melissa Huntley, Paula Stewart,** Bottom Row: **Catea Rubenstein, Monica Cleary**

The basketball cheerleaders show off their new and improved style as they execute one of their many unique formations.

Basketball

days of hard work, the cheerleaders adopted a new style of cheering and learned techniques for partner stunts and pyramids. They also received awards for overall Most-Spirited and First Place Performance on the final day of competition.

Cheerleading was no longer a passive activity. It became an active sport demanding dedication and ability. **Felicia Orr** commented, "This year has been a continuous challenge to break away from tradition and earn the respect of HHS students and faculty." Both squads had little trouble fulfilling their challenge.

Soaking It Up

The 1988-'89 HHS Swim Team had one of its best years in the team's history. **Susan Blatner**, the new head coach, worked with the kids to improve stroke technique and team enthusiasm. When asked about the team's success, she commented, "We had a really strong team this year! I enjoyed working with the kids, and I look for-

Leigh Gullyes, captain Cliff Aaron, and **Zane Honnold.** When questioned about the practices, Cliff remarked, "I enjoyed the season while working with Coach Gullyes. Do you hear me, Leigh?"

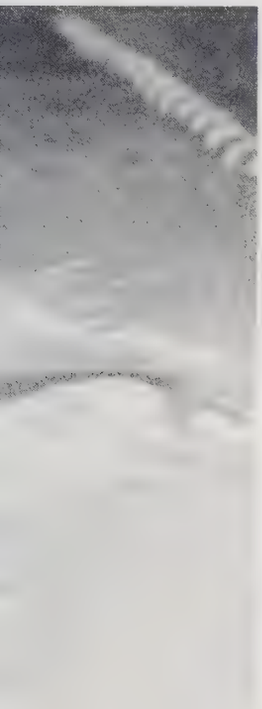
The team hosted several meets at the Henderson County YMCA and traveled as far as Ashbrook High School, Gastonia. The team com-

Senior Leigh Gullyes keeps pushing to the finish for the best possible time, while the rest of the pack is left in her wake.

Driving hard on the breaststroke leg of the 200m IM, Cliff Aaron cuts through the water to help lift the 'Cats standings.

Sonaly Kirkley sprints to the lead on the last leg of the 100m breaststroke.

Enroute to another birth in the state finals, Junior Zane Honnold comes up for air as he leads the way in the 200m IM.



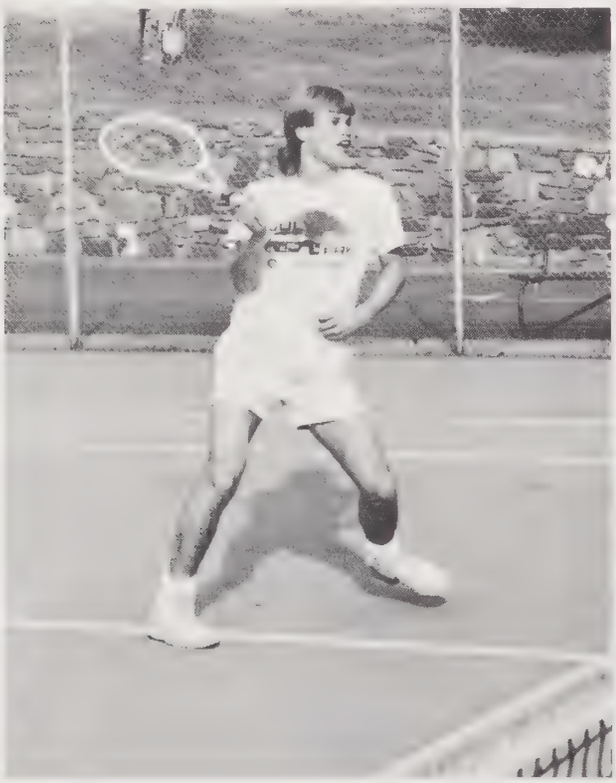
Top Row: C.J. Chipley, Kevin Brookshire, Erich Then, Matt Yelverton, Cliff Aaron, Jason Pyles, Zane Honnold, Leigh Gullyes, Kelly Bell, Tom Deaver, Bert VanderVeen, Eric Thomas, Eric Wood, Jason Bullman, Bottom Row: Eric Swindell, Jenny Egolf, Sonaly Kirkley, Summer Mackel, Mary Douglas, Julie Andrus

Back to Back

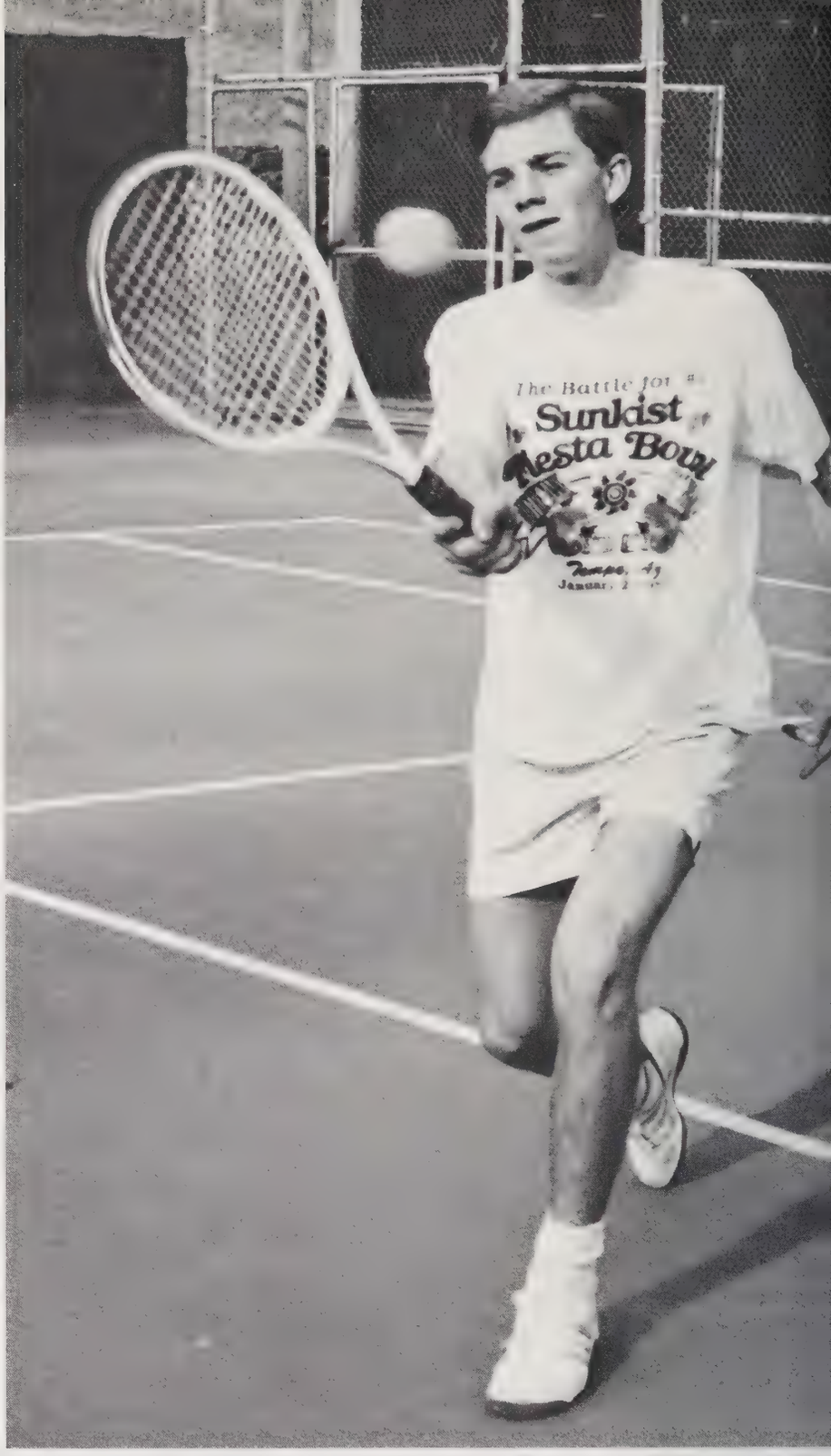
The 1987-88 tennis team brought a new era to Hendersonville High School. A new standard of excellence was attained for the team as it captured the state title in 1988. With state single's champion **Paul Goebel** returning, along with the doubles' team of Ryan Kudva and Dan Krug, the 'Cats were destined for more success this year. Other returning starters included **Jason Apple, Steve Lewis,** and **Jay Egolf.** Considering that the team returned all its vital players, a second state championship loomed in the future. **Ryan Kudva,** who finished third in the state single's competition last year, commented, "We're going to rock everybody."

With back-to-back hopes in the air, **Paul Goebel** said, "If I can repeat, and if **Dan** and **Ryan** finish well, we'll have no problem this year."

Possibly, the only obstacle that might stop the Bearcats is if they were "reigned out."



Jay Egolf shows his aggressive style as he closes in on the net to put a volley away.



Sophomore Jason Apple uses his strong forehand to win the point on the baseline.

State champion, junior Paul Goebel works on his volleys during a practice session at the country club.

Junior Ryan Kudva drives a forehand from the baseline during a team workout.

Senior Dan Krug lays down a drop shot during a leisurely practice match before the season opener.

Making a lot of Racket

The 1988-89 girls' tennis team built a strong foundation this year with an array of young talent. These seven underclassmen joined experienced senior players **Amy Williams, Amy York,** and **Melanie Trest.** Although the team finished the year at 0-9, improvement was destined for the future. While **Williams, York** and **Trest** were playing well in hopes of playoff berths, the other young members continued to better their games while striving for a successful finish in the regional tournament and a giant leap forward in the seasons to come. First year coach **Lisa Vierra** said, "With all of the young talent we have, success is in our future."

Senior Melanie Trest follows through on a forehand during warmups before a conference match with Tryon.

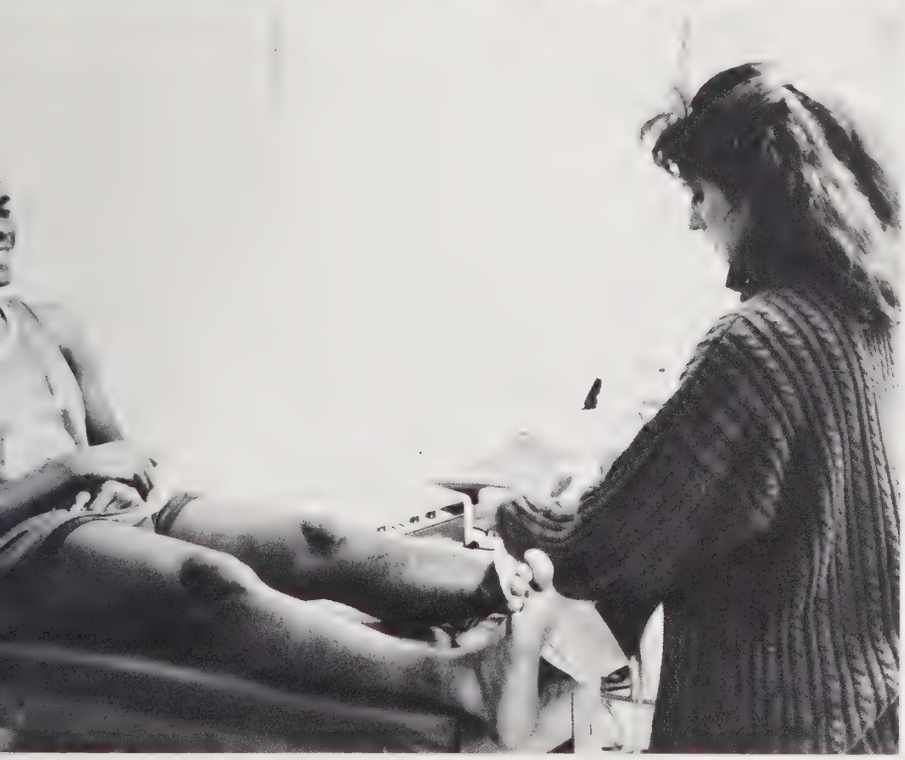
Marianne de la Cruz, Rachel Michalove, Dawn Stenson, Joy Leider, Jenny Egolf, Cheryl Kane, Amy Williams, Sonaly Kirkley, Melanie Trest, Amy York, Catherine de la Cruz, Coach Vierra

Widening the Gap

Freshman Robin Graham drives a backhand down the line during a practice session at the country club.

Jack Capps prepares an athlete for the night's game by stabilizing a sore ankle.

Over the years Hendersonville High School set an unheard standard of excellence in athletics. It reigned far above all other North Carolina 1-A schools. It was only appropriate that the best athletic program in the state was accompanied by the best training program in the state. The program was introduced to HHS in 1986 when **Dwayne "Doc" Durham** came to Hendersonville. Durham, a former trainer at Appalachian State University, is one of the few trainers that is nationally certified. "With the dedication of people like Doc, the gap between HHS's athletic program and our competitions will be that much greater," said trainer **Peter Volk**.



Ike Smith, a brillant player, starts off on the wrong foot, but it's nothing a little care from Kristin Dunn can't handle.

Doc Durham checks with Elijah Timmons during a timeout to make sure he's ready to re-enter the game.

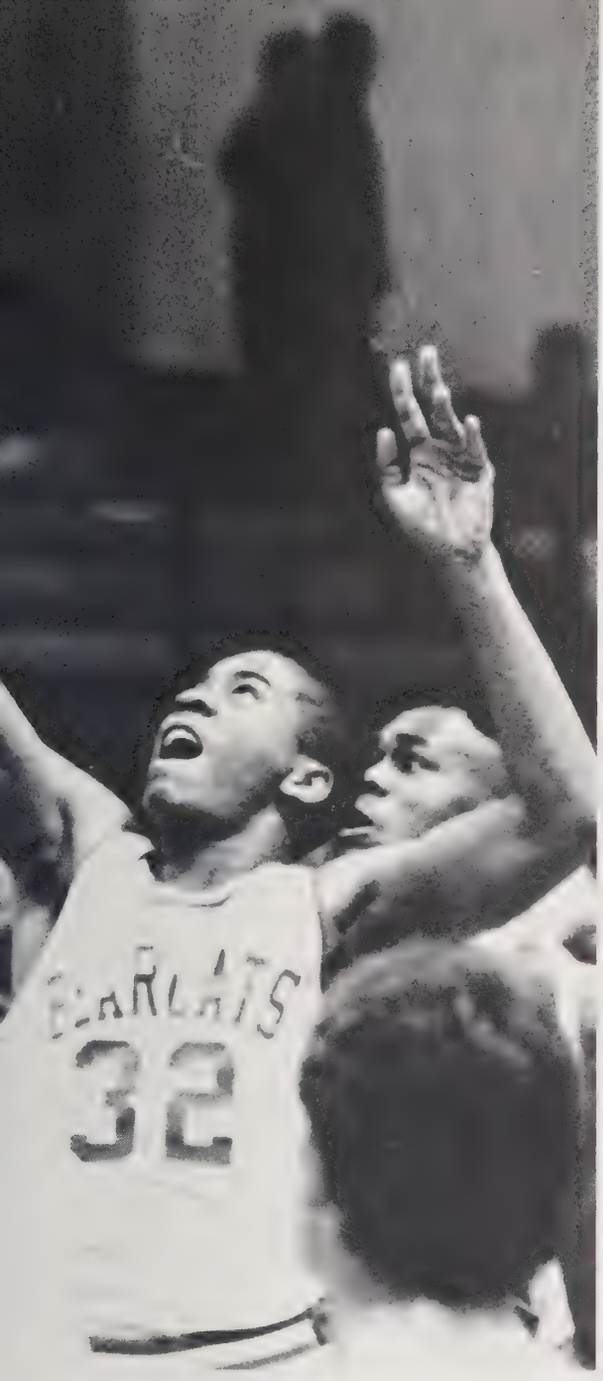
Solid as a Rock

Hendersonville basketball, at one time, was characterized by a quick tempo, fast-breaking team which kept Hendersonville foes running aimlessly. This year the Bearcats combined the upbeat style of play with a hardnosed, half-court man-to-man defense which created havoc for opposing offenses. A relentless full-court press offset opponents' offenses and created several turnovers for easy Bearcat baskets.

Junior **Scott Lee** and freshman **Quy "Rah Rah" Johnson** led the 'Cats in scoring with eighteen and seventeen points per game respectively.

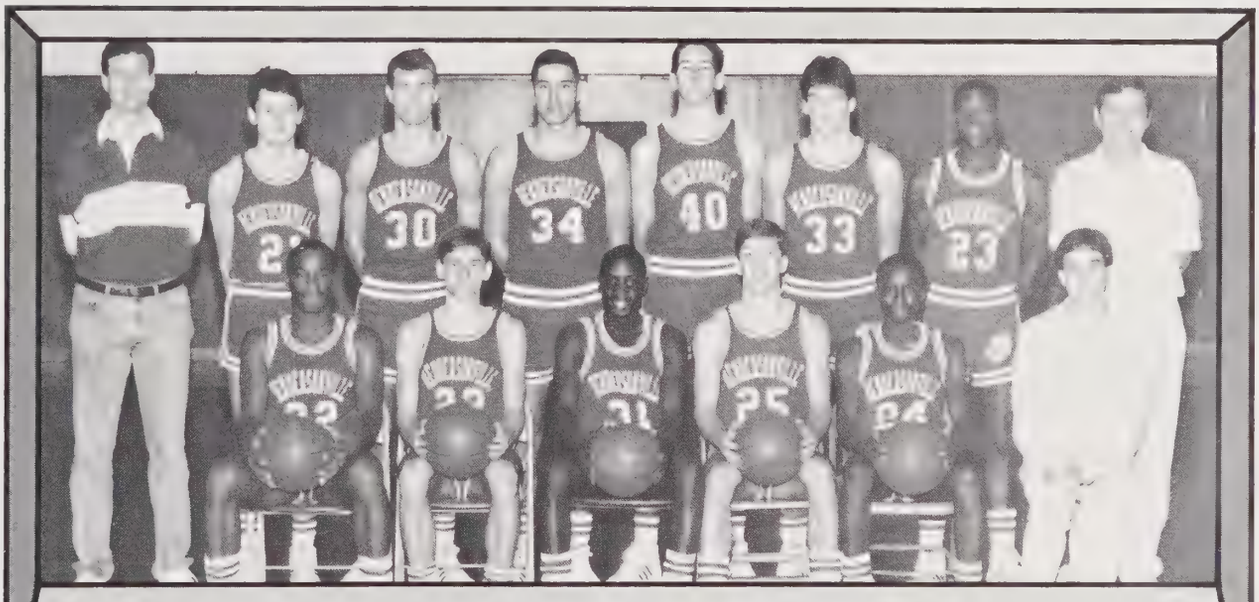
The much-awaited entrance of the boys basketball team ignites the Hendersonville crowd.

Basketball mastermind, Coach Wilkins, instructs his team on the next set of plays during a timeout.



Junior Ike Smith explodes above the crowd to put up a jumper against conference rival, Rosman.

Scott Lee shows his style and form as he adds another Bearcat basket from the free throw line.



Top Row: Coach Wilkins, Lee Bradley, Scott Lee, Robert Mazzeo, Drew Adams, Chris Goodson, Jonathon Twitty, Coach Goebel; **Bottom Row:** Ike Smith, Bo Johnson, Quy Johnson, Chuck Roberts, Everette Moreland, Paul LaGrange

Senior Captain Drew Adams, who led the team with over ten rebounds per game, spoke of the team's success this year by commenting, "Our greatest asset of this year's team is a strong unity between the players. Although we've had some rough points during the season, we'll come out winners in the end."

The team suffered some early setbacks in the season. Junior **Jonathan Twitty**, Sophomore **Stephen Merrill**, and senior **Robert Mazzeo** were unable to continue with the team. The losses did not dampen the spirit of the team as the Bearcats rose to the occasion several times. After defeating Brevard and capturing the Christmas Tournament title, the Bearcats were off and running.

While the team had not reached its peak yet, whispers of conference titles and state playoffs were rampant in the halls. In the end, the Bearcats lived up to the annual high expectations and were standing in the reign.

Freshman Quy "Rah Rah" Johnson keys the Bearcat half-court offense as he brings the ball down the court.

Senior captain Drew Adams soars over an East opponent for a dunk in a cross-county matchup.

Chuck Roberts anticipates a long pass as the Bearcats pressure the opposing team with a relentless full-court press.

Bo Johnson's long, hard hours of practice from the free-throw stripe pay off as he prepares to sink a pair.

A Chip off The block

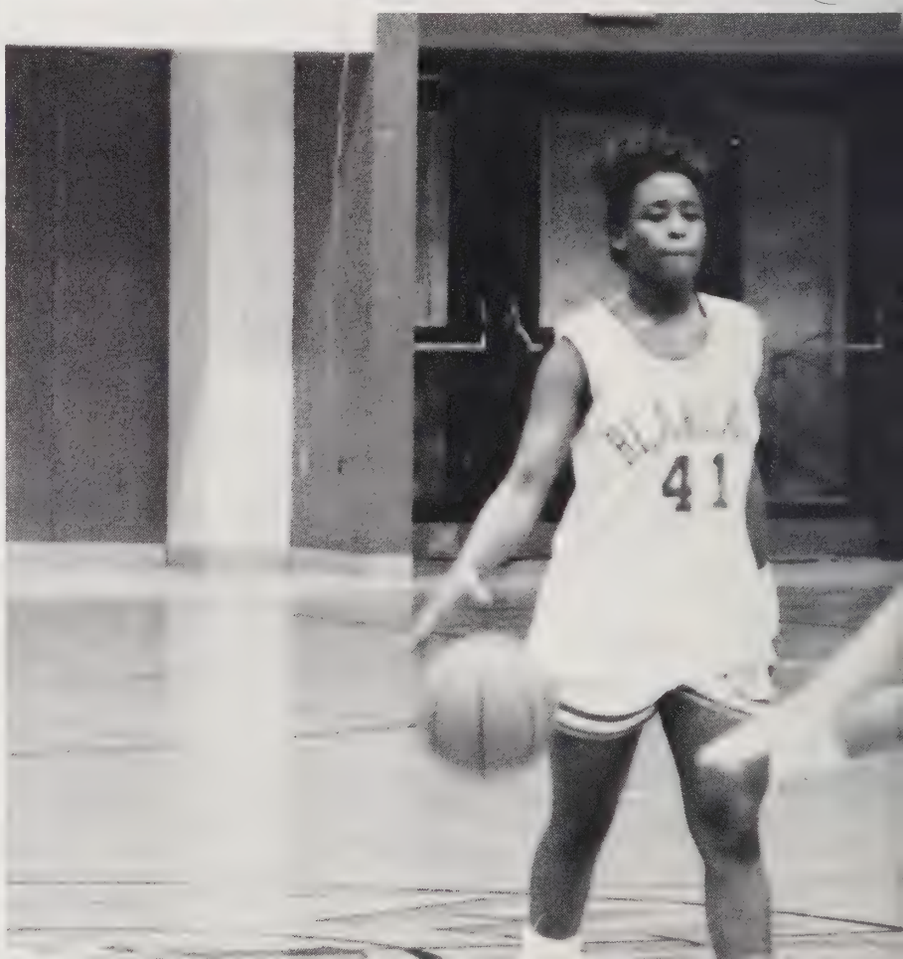
Traditionally, the Lady Bearcats have given HHS fans winning seasons, conference titles, and trips to the state playoffs. This year was no different for the Lady 'Cats as they battled through the pack to take the conference lead with a 7-1 record. After capturing the regular season title, first year Coach **Mike Norman** led his team into the Conference tournament. Norman liked his chances in the tournament," The girls have worked hard all year, and I'm sure it will pay off in the end." Senior **Tara McMinn** led the team in scoring and rebounds while **Karen Twitty, Tina Braswell, Kim Stephens** and **Stephanie McCovery** saw plenty of playing time. With all of the team returning next year, except for four seniors, success was in the future once again for the Lady 'Cats.

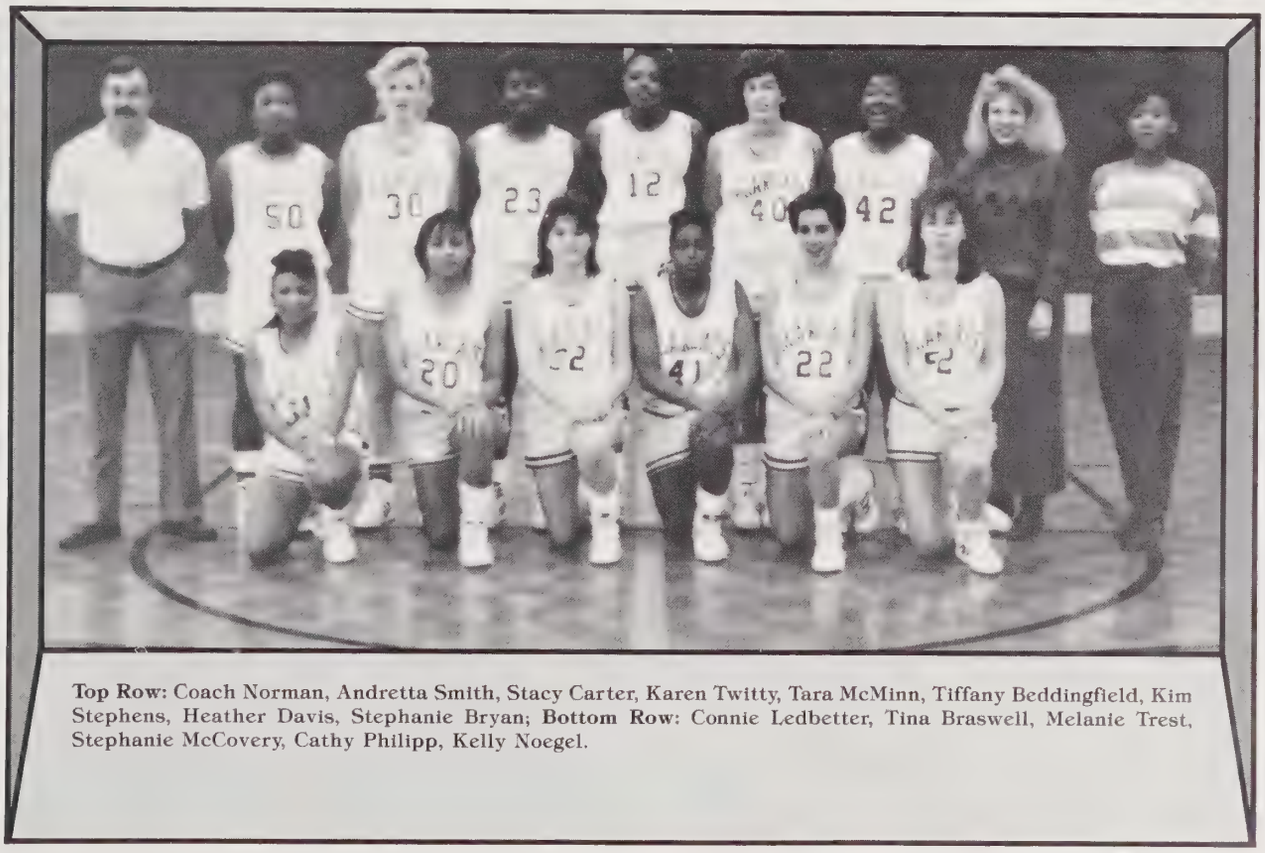
Senior Captain Tara McMinn uses her long reach to gain control of a rebound over an opponent from West High.

Point guard Stephanie McCovery brings the ball up the court to get the half-court offense rolling.

Tiffany Beddingfield knows that strength is vital to being successful underneath the basket. She uses her strength in a conference matchup against Tryon to plow through the lane for a tough layup.

Karen Twitty takes a w deserved break to ca her breath before a play sumes.





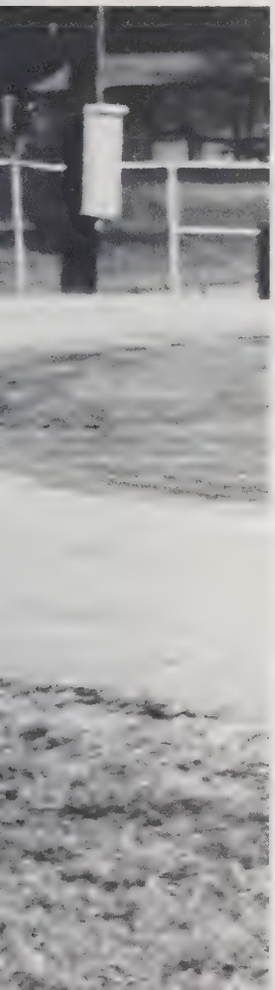
Top Row: Coach Norman, Andretta Smith, Stacy Carter, Karen Twitty, Tara McMinn, Tiffany Beddingfield, Kim Stephens, Heather Davis, Stephanie Bryan; **Bottom Row:** Connie Ledbetter, Tina Braswell, Melanie Trest, Stephanie McCovery, Cathy Philipp, Kelly Noegel.

In the Spring of things

Although senior Jeff Kirk has an unpleasant lie, he finds his situation rather comical.

Senior pitcher Robert Mazzeo strenghtens his arm during a spring workout at Dietz Field.

Karen Twitty is all business as she blows away her rivals in the 110 m hurdles.



Strength, speed, and willpower are the only obstacles that can stop a pole vaulter. Vince Wilson shows that he has all these ingredients as he clears the bar.

It's a bird; it's a plane; no, it's Jeff Shipman soaring to another victory in the triple jump.

Spring con't ...

Todd King casually takes some practice swings before hitting the greens.

Mike Boyd cranks a practice pitch in a practice at Dietz Field.

Senior David Haffner is flying high as he finds some time to hotdog during a practice run with the ski team.

Charles Lindsay cruises far beyond his competition as he leaps for another successful triple jump.

Senior Ronnie Wagner changes his mind midswing as he fights to stop the momentum of the bat.

A New Awakening

In the midst of all the athletic competition high schools endure throughout the year, emotions soar to an incredible high. Tempers flare; tension is high, and sometimes the true meaning of competition is lost.

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Special athletes who competed only for the spirit of the games gave us all a new awakening each year as to what athletic competition is about.

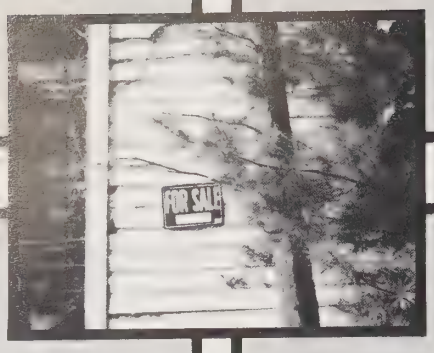
Jimmy Cantrel shows his good spirit for the games as he congratulates the gold medalist.

Hendersonville's Special Olympian bowlers join the crowd before they hit the alleys.

Brandon Roberts and Tina Glover savor their moment of glory on the winners' stand.

Joey Strothers and Randy Southerland take the stand and collect their ribbons after blowing the competition off the track.

Kenny Allison, Carl Holbert, and Neil Cox react to the roar of the crowd during the introductions of their basketball game.



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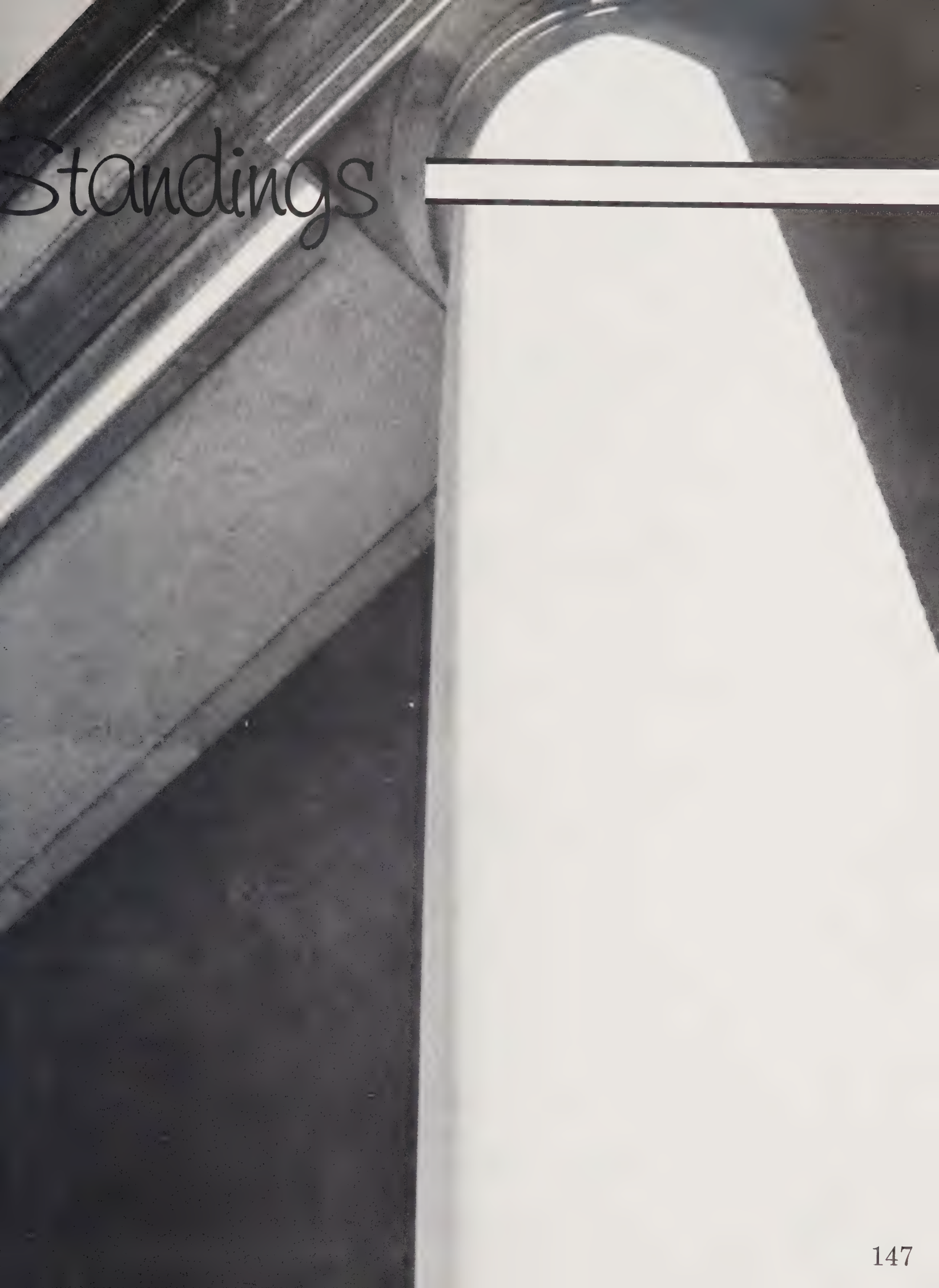
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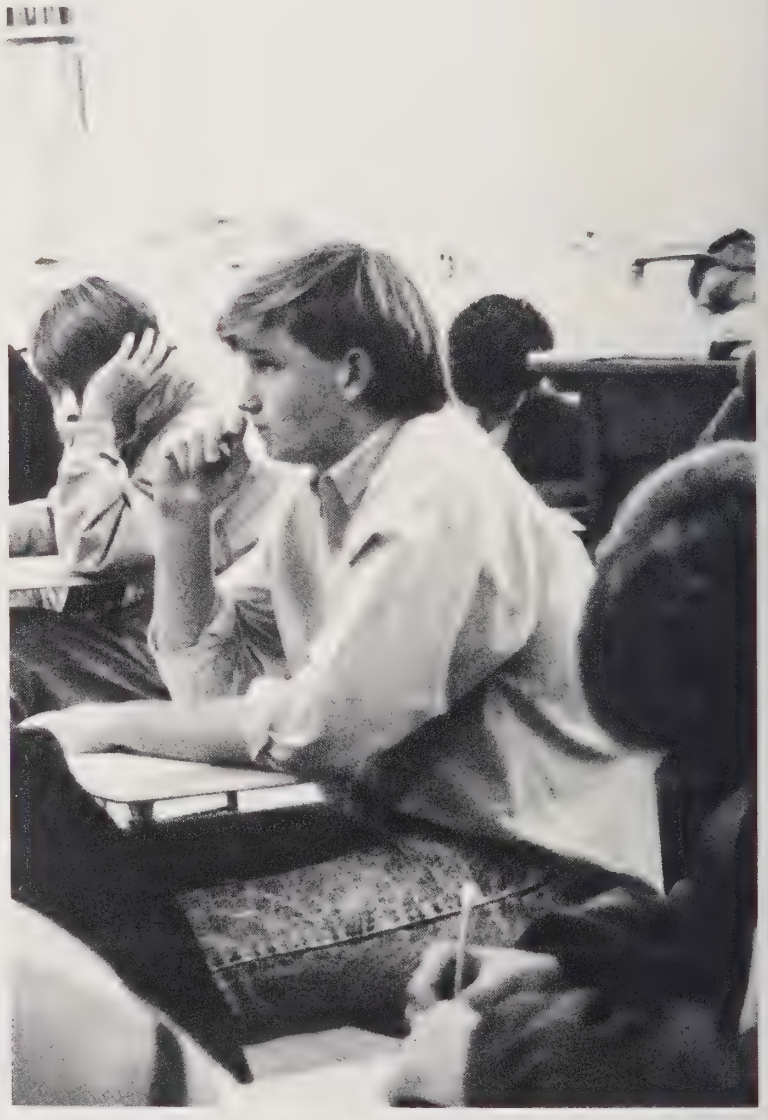

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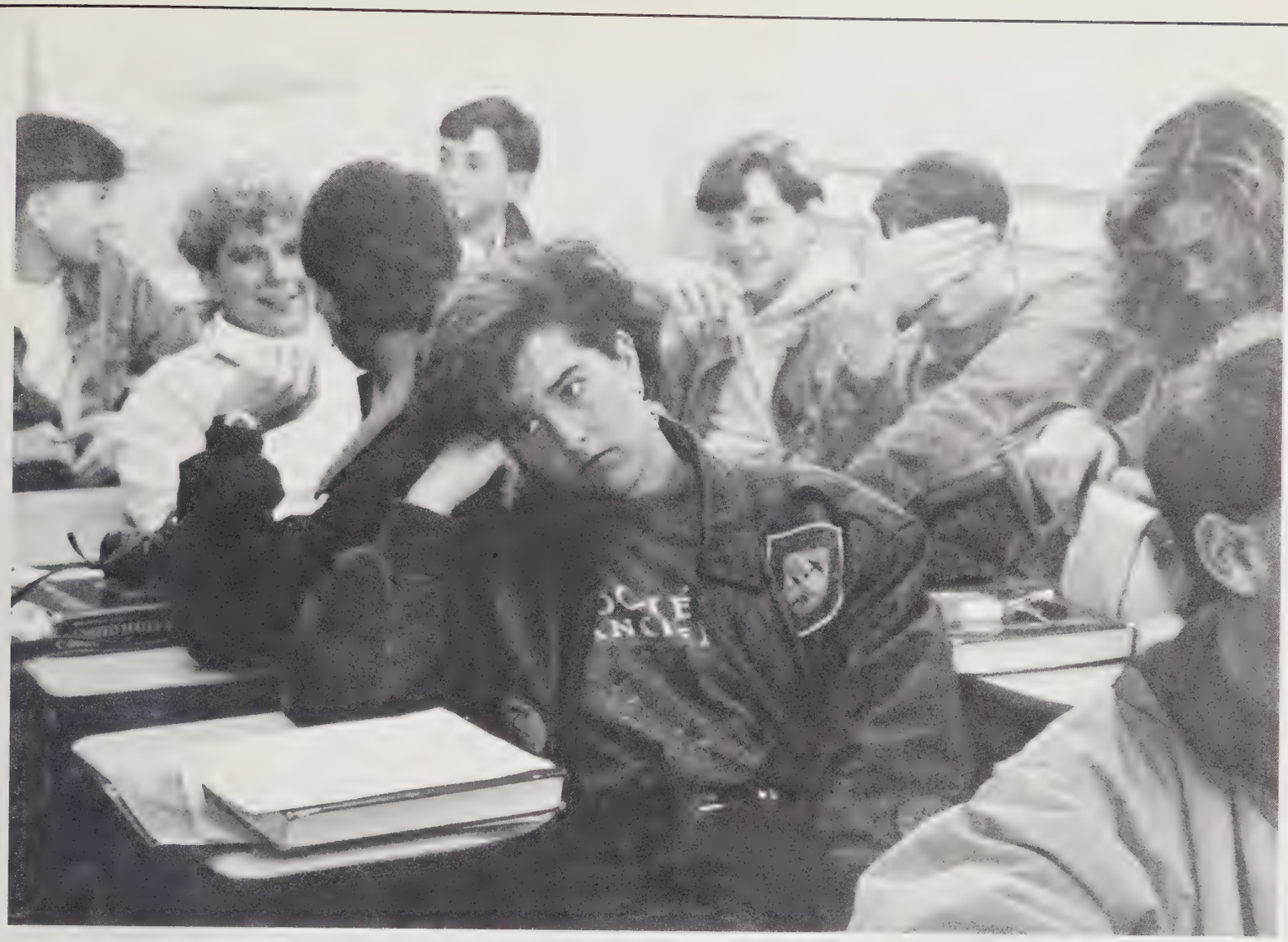

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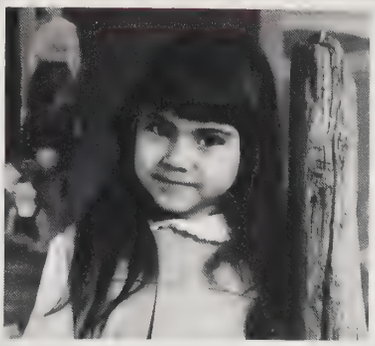

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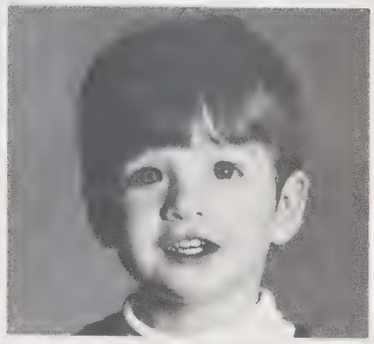

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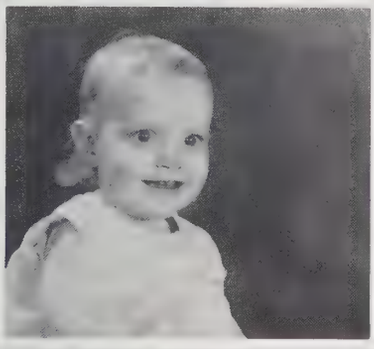
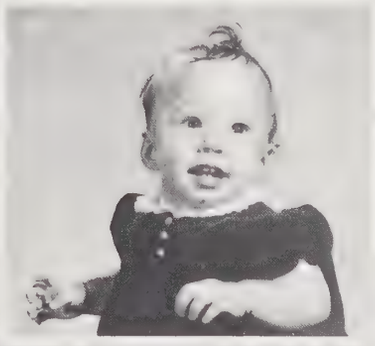
Susan Brittain — Congratulations! You are a very special daughter and sister who has brought so much happiness into our lives. We are all very proud of you; your hard work and many accomplishments. We love you. Mom, Mack and Michael

Adam Chandler — What a great experience watching you grow. You have been a real pleasure, and we look forward to sharing the excitement of your future. Watch a few sunsets for us. Love, Mom and Dad



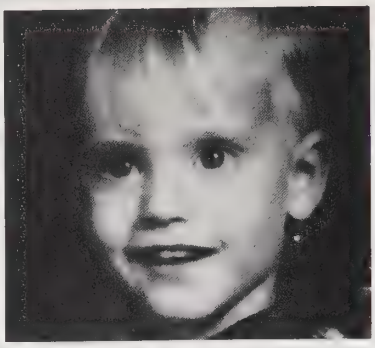
Angela Corbin — Congratulations, Angela! We are very proud of you. You have hung in there and made it. I know you will continue to do the same in the coming years. We love you, and we'll miss you next year. Mom and Cheryl



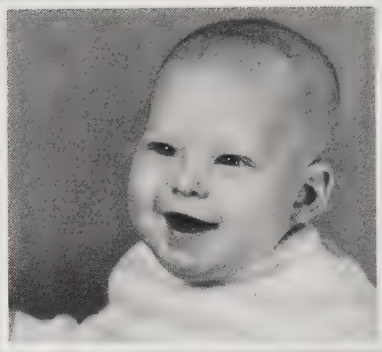
Tami Dalbo — Tami, you have fulfilled all of our dreams and expectations in a sometimes difficult world. Now it is time for you to fulfill your hopes and dreams. All of our love and good wishes. Love, Mom and Dad

Richard Davis — Congratulations, Son. We are so very proud of you and look forward to your college years as you prepare for your goal in life. We know that you will succeed in whatever you choose that goal to be. With love and pride, Mom and Dad

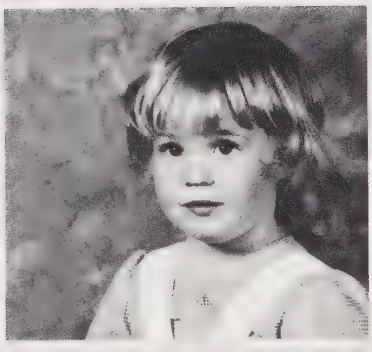
Mel Everingham — Dear Punky, Congratulations! I love you, and I'm so proud to have you for a son. Set your goals high, for with your determination and strength you are certain to achieve them all. Love, Mom



Michael Freeman — Congratulations! You have made it! The years have not been easy, but you hung in there and grew stronger through adversity. It has been rewarding to see a strong but sensitive person develop and then blossom in your Red & White! You are a joy to us, and we love you very much! Dad, Mom and Michelle



Webb Garrison — Need we say more? Gayle and Webb, your two and only parents



Deanna Gibbs — Congratulations on your graduation! You have the rare trait of being truly concerned for others. This, along with your love of children and your unselfishness, will make you a tremendous teacher. God bless you always. We are so very proud of you. With our love and respect, Mama and Daddy

Leigh Gullyes — Jeepers, creepers, where'd you get those beepers? Jeepers, creepers, where'd you get that smile? We love you! Mom and Dad

Bill Hodge — Bill, you have been a special son, and it has been a pleasure to follow you through all of your activities, your ups, and your downs. You are a wonderful young man and have the ingredients to be successful in the years ahead. We will miss you; but, most of all, my grocery bill and telephone will too. Love, Mom, Vicki, Beth, Debbie, Mindy and Joe

Melissa Igoe — We take great pride in your accomplishments, dedication to your work, and acceptance of responsibility. We love you for being the truly nice person that you are. We wish you success, and above all else we wish you happiness. Mom, Dad, Jenna and Suzanne

Rob Ingersoll — Congratulations, we wish you great success and much happiness for the future. Love you — Mom and Dad

Chris Jones — Chris, we have enjoyed watching you grow into a fine young man. We'll miss you as you go on to college and out on your own. Love, Dad, Mom, and Valerie

Greg Killian — Congratulations to a special young man. We wish you love, happiness, and success. We love you. We will always be here for you. Love, Mom, Dad, and Kyle

Jeff Kirk — Congratulations, Jeff! We are very proud parents and wish you all the best. With your talent and ample perseverance all your goals are attainable. Love, Mom and Dad

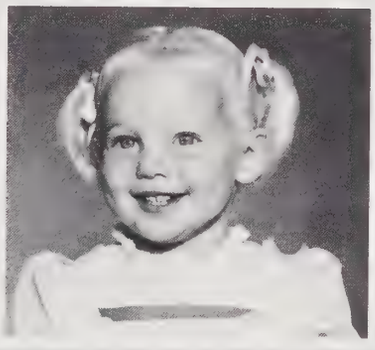
Kathleen Lanning — You are a most special person! We love you so much. You have a sweet, gentle spirit within combined with a determined will to make the world a little better. You're a winner! Love, Mama and Daddy

Elliot Lewis — Wishing you first tracks, 100,000 ft. vertical days, and ahhhhs! Think snow. Love, Mama and Daddy

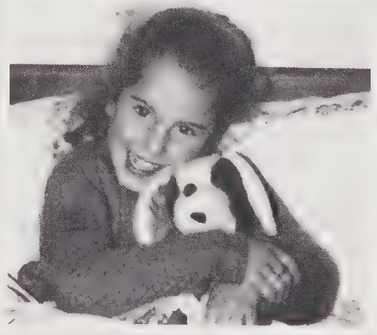
Summer Mackel — Congratulations, we're proud of you! Mom, Dad, Rollin, Emily, and Benjamin

Tara McMinn — To our daughter, put God first, and there is nothing you can't do. We wish you the best throughout life. Love ya! Mama and James

Shannon McNabb — You always seem to get the last word. A true McNabb. Congratulations and be proud of your first seventeen years. We are! Love ya! Daddy, Nikki, and Herbie



Felicia Orr — Congratulations, Boo! Eighteen beautiful years. I'm so proud you're my daughter. There's a big world waiting for you; success is yours now. Most of all, thanks for being my friend. I love you. Mom



Carolyn Owens — You are very special to us and have been a joy these seventeen years. Your love and thoughtfulness, sense of responsibility, and many talents have added a wonderful dimension to our lives. We thank God for you. We love you and are very proud to have you as our daughter. Congratulations. Mom and Dad

Alison Parrish — Congratulations, dear Alison. For the sweet things you do, for the love that you give, for the sunshine that you bring; may God grant you all the happiness you're so deserving of. Love, Mommy

Georgia Richardson — To a delightful daughter as she continues her journey in life. May she receive as much love, happiness, and thoughtfulness as she has given to us, her parents. Love, Mother and Daddy

Michael Steepy — Congratulations, Mike. You have always made us proud of you — every day and in every way. As your life continues to be filled with happiness and success, remember how special you'll always be in our hearts. You and your sister are the joy of our lives. We love you. Mom, Dad, and Karen

Richard Stepp — Congratulations for a job well done! I am so proud of you. It has been a joy to watch you pass through this phase of your life. I wish you love, happiness, and success always. Love, Mom

Paula Stewart — We are so proud of the young woman you have become and of your many achievements these past seventeen years. May your years continue to be all you hope them to be, and "May God hold you in the palm of His hand." All our love, Mom and Dad

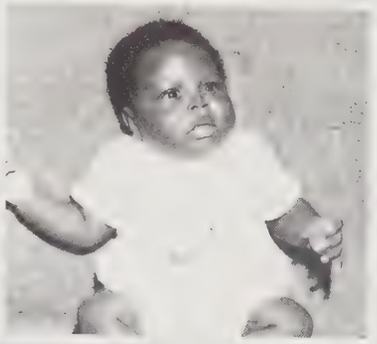
Ben Tweed — Congratulations, Ben! To be successful, a person needs to be kind, thoughtful, considerate of others, happy within himself and able to spread that happiness to those he touches. He needs to have a gentle, untroubled soul and be secure in the knowledge that his future is within his control. Ben has no worries! He knows he is already a success. I am proud of you. Love, Mom

Dade VanDerWerf — Congratulations! We are so proud of you. Love, Mom, Dad, Anna, John, and Mark

Emily Waters — Congratulations to "Bee," our "Cecile," our special Emily. We're proud of you and all that you are. We love you. Mom, Dad, Andrew, and Sarah

Amy Williams — Congratulations to our sunshine! May all life's best be yours! We love you. Mom and Dad

April Williams — It seems like only yesterday when you asked silly questions and made up funny stories, but those were days of exploring and finding out. Those days are over. Now you are going into the real world. Do so with an open mind and a loving heart. Congratulations. Love, Mom



Mario Graham — Mario, you have grown into a sturdy and beautiful person. Like a Giant Oak you stand, ready to spread out your roots and branches even more. In spreading out, you will be able to touch the lives of others as you have touched mine! No one else could have given more to me than you. I love you dearly and wish you all the best! Mom

William Platz — Talent, Ambition, Compassion, Dedication, Committment . . . and more than a little bit of joy. Love, Mom and Dad

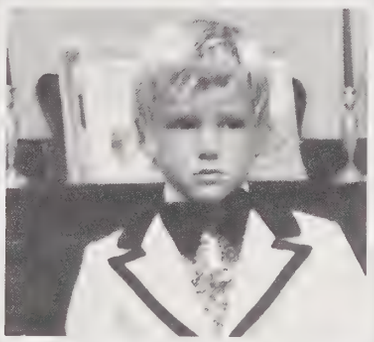
Jay Egolf — Jay, the years have passed so quickly. Sometimes we wish you could be this age once again — but only for a few minutes! We are so proud of you and love you very much. Mom, Dad, and Jenny

Emily Dunn — *May the Dreams of your past be the reality of your future. *Be yourself. Who else is better qualified? *There's no traffic jam on the extra mile. *A smile increases your face value. Love, Mom and Dad

Bert VanderVeen — Born with dimples, blessed with sensitivity and bringing the gifts of ageless wisdom and inner strength and wisdom, you touch every heart with an aura that lifts and fills. I rejoice! Love, Mom and Dad

David Haffner

Drew Adams — It was time and you were born, early on a Sunday morn; You were small then but to our surprise, we now look up into your eyes. We love you son, but take no claim; You're a graduate now with roots and wings. Love, Mom and Dad



Stephen Mace — Don't look so sad. Life after high school isn't that bad — just challenging and we know you'll do well. We're proud of you. Love Mom and Dad

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So here we are — the complete Laureate staff. We claim no responsibility for the contents of this book. Any derogatory comments should be folded up and set on fire.

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These are our implements of destruction as well as creation — the creation of this book, and the destruction of our serenity of mind.

LAUREATE

Our famous emblem — representing diligence, hard work, and a lot of secret goings on.

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The "Senior Bug" is an ugly and vicious virus. Very few escape its wrath. Jessica Laughter has fallen victim to this bug.

Some feel joy at the end of the year; some, sadness. Kyle Grahm can't decide how he feels.

Many view it as a shrine; others, a social trap. Regardless, the sundial is a very popular area for convention.

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Although dumping is usually considered an unpleasant experience, Erin Havard and Simon Lashford seem to be enjoying it.